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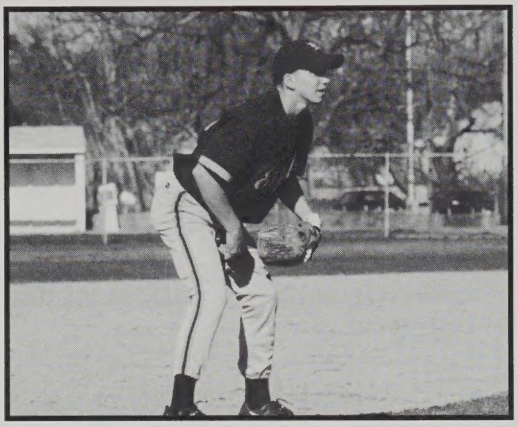
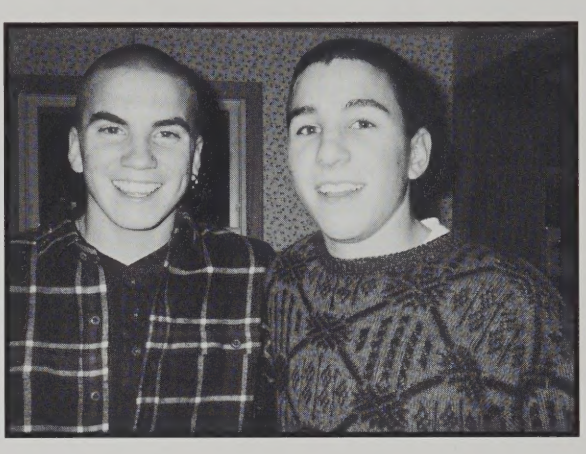
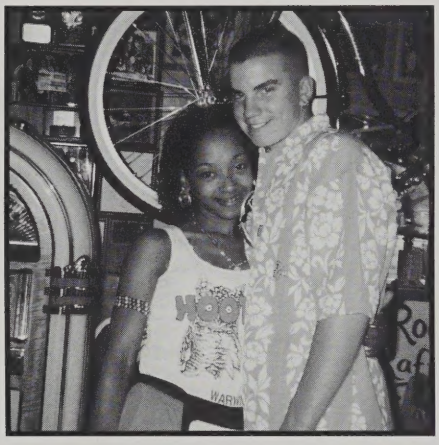


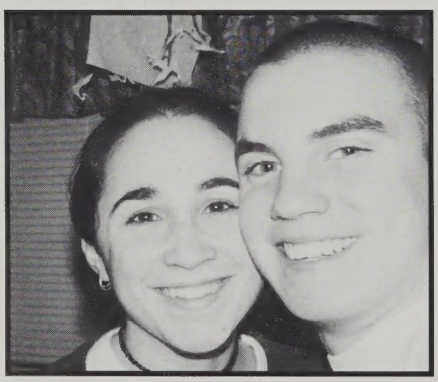


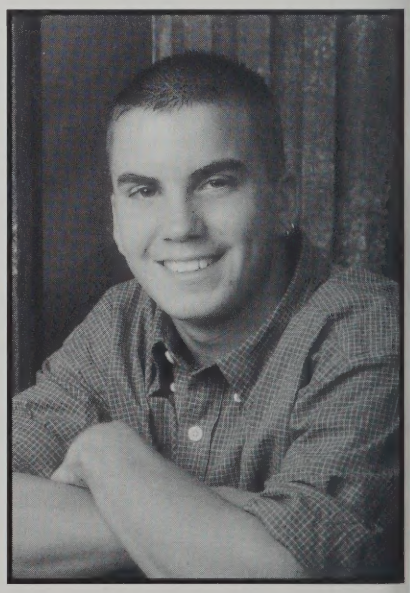


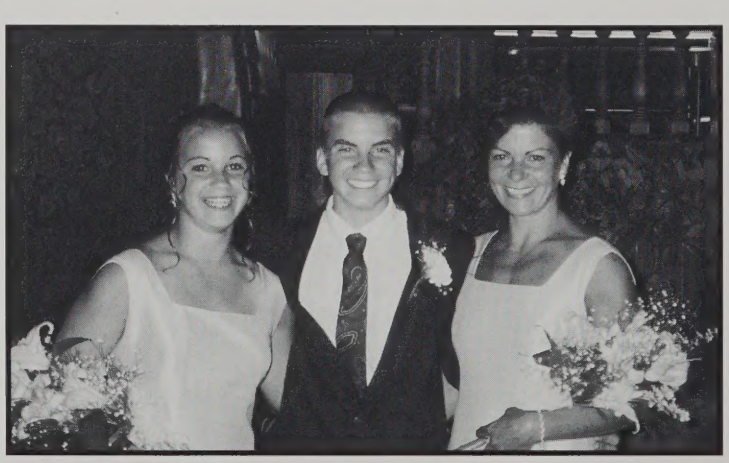
The Class of 2000 would like to dedicate this yearbook to Daniel M. Cole. Though not everyone in the class knew him, he was a good friend to many. Dan was born in Seekonk and grew up here before moving to Barrington. He died tragically in 1999 as a result of a car accident during his senior year at Barrington High School.

Besides being an excellent athlete and artist, Dan was a great person and a good friend. He was the type of person who lit up the room with his smile and made you laugh on your worst days. Though Dan lived in Barrington, he had many ties to Seekonk through friends, work, and family.

Even with his busy schedule of sports, school, and girls, Dan always put others first. So it is with our deepest sorrow that we bid farewell to our very good friend, and though he is missed he will never be forgotten...



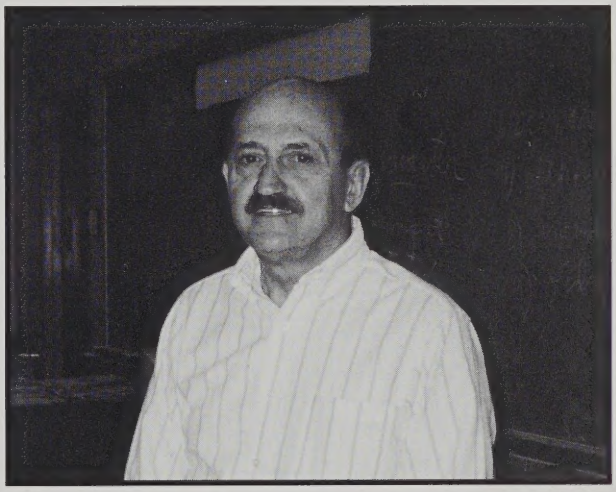


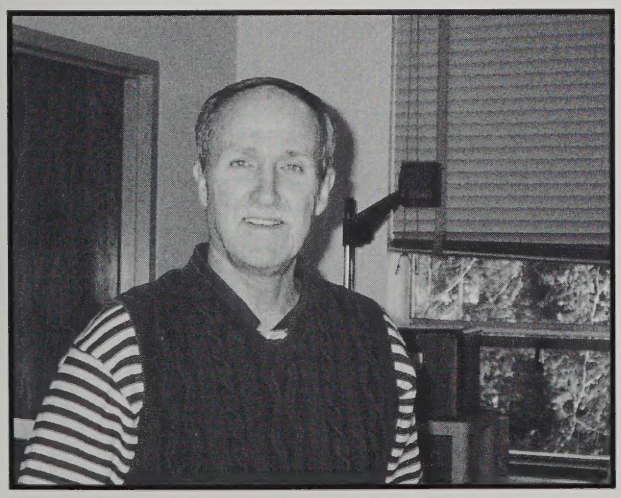


appreciation

The senior class would like to thank Mrs. Joanne Lacy and Mrs. Julia Simpson for their many contributions to the class of 2000 as class advisors. We have had to overcome many obstacles during the past four years, but they continually supported us, even through the times when we had little money in the class treasury. From Del's Lemonade campaigns to BMFers to James and his wacky campaign speeches, Mrs. Lacy and Mrs. Simpson have stood strong by our sides. The senior class hopes they will be left with many memories of their days spent with our unique and intriguing class.

The students at Seekonk High School would like to recognize Mr. Joseph Mercier for his many years of service in the Seekonk School System. He followed the senior class to the high school after spending countless hours teaching us to read in seventh grade. Those students fortunate enough to have Mr. Mercier as a teacher will always remember his enthusiasm for his work. He will forever be admired and known as the "Eggman" by all of his former Media crew. We wish him a wonderful retirement, free of the daily chaos found in the halls of Seekonk High.

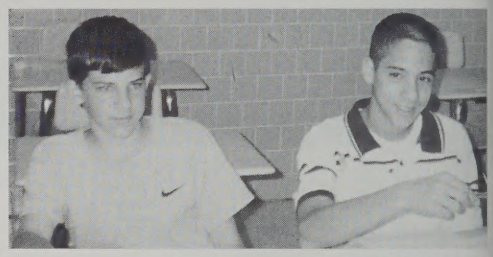


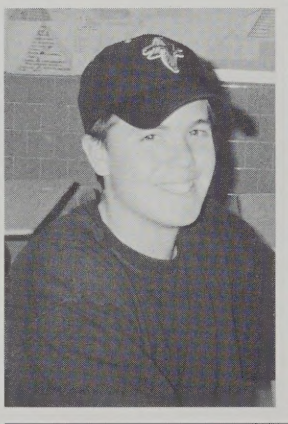


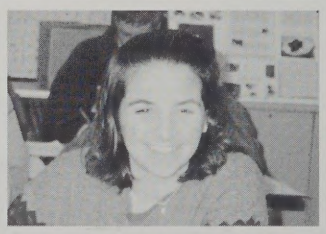
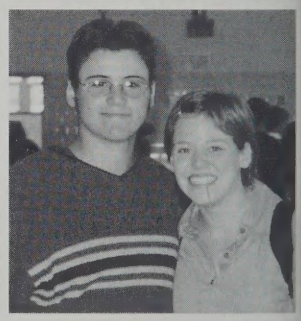
How can we describe Mr. Robert Kulaga? Teacher, golfer, coach, graduate of St. Ray's, friend, mentor. Mr. Kulaga was one of those rare individuals that had a special impact on our lives. With his unique teaching style, he kept us on the edge of our seats continually provoking us to think for ourselves. His favorite role was that of devil's advocate when he pushed us to examine all aspects of certain issues. Mr. Kulaga has been a teacher for 35 years, 25 of which were spent here at Seekonk High School. We hope he enjoys his retirement, which he will spend on the golf course and with his grandchildren.

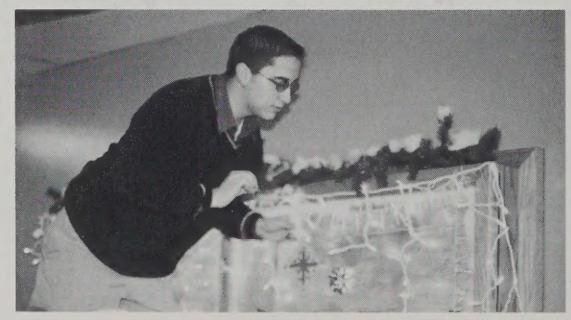
people

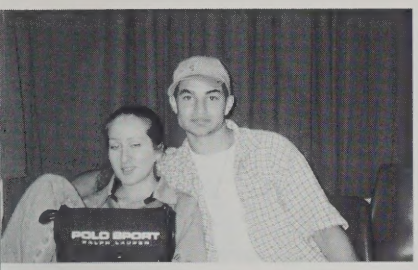
For such a small town and school, Seekonk has produced a lot of diversity. Everyone serves as contributors to the color of our school through their differences in body, thought, and character. Yet, these same differences create individual uniqueness that also make us a cohesive unit, and allows for Seekonk to become a living entity.





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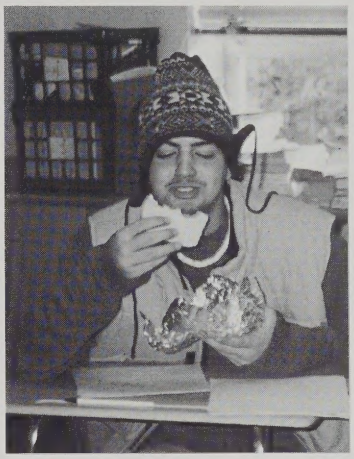

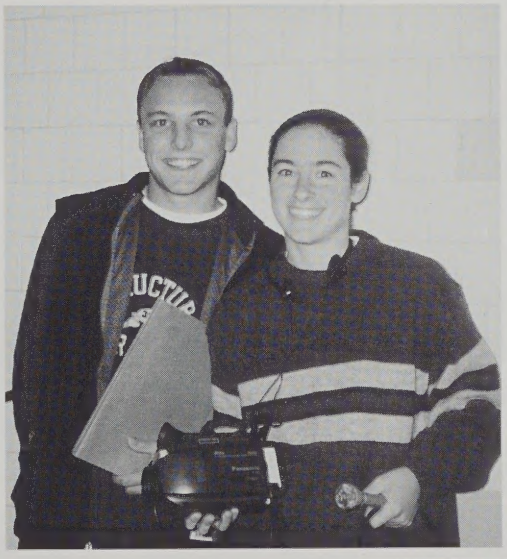

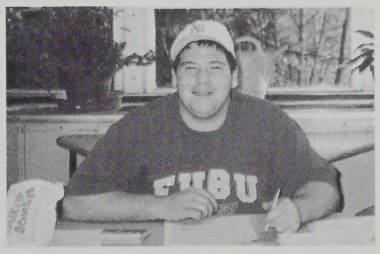
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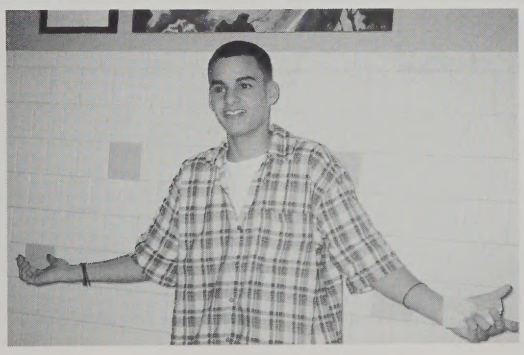

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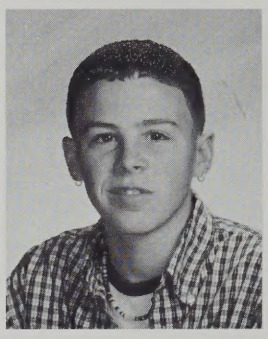
Linda Lopes
Member



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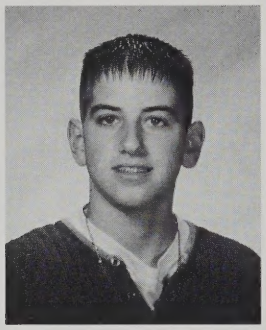

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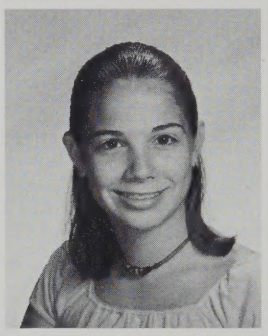

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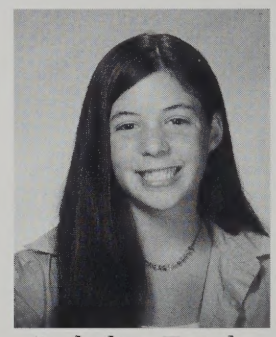

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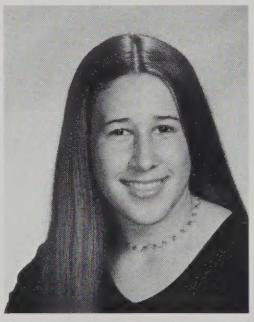
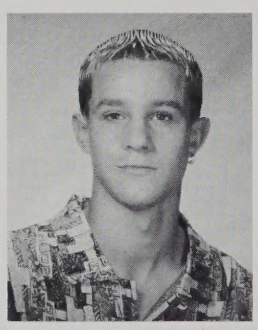

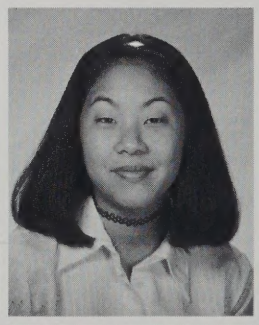
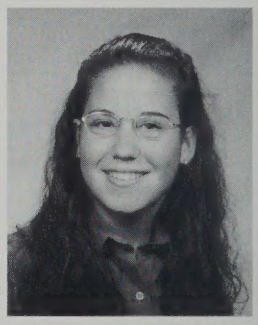

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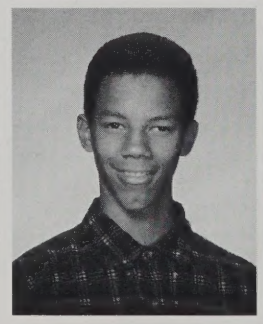
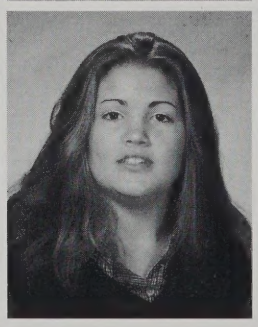
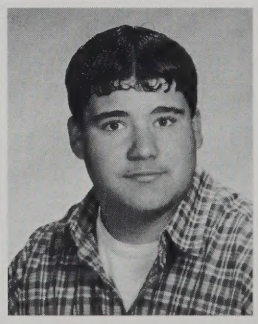

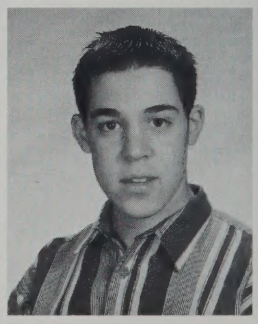

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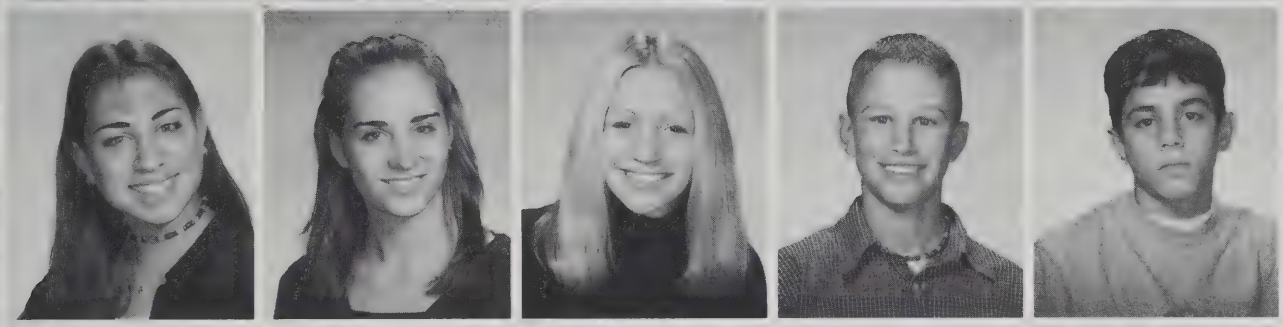

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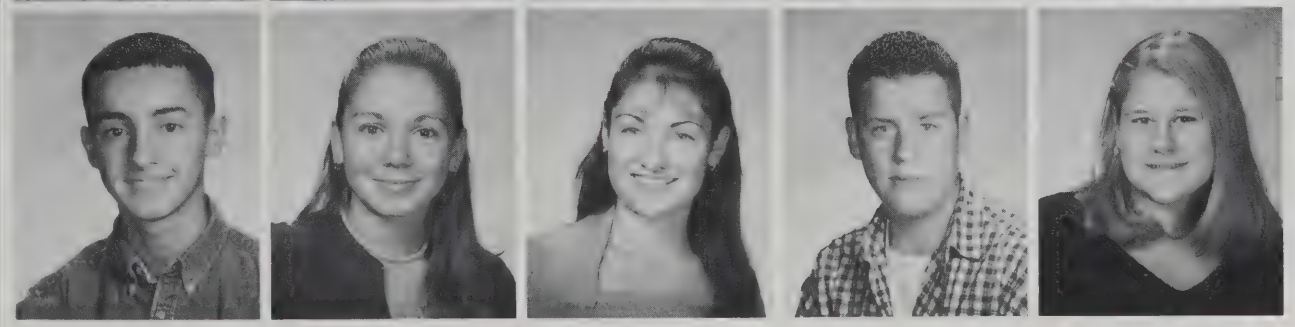

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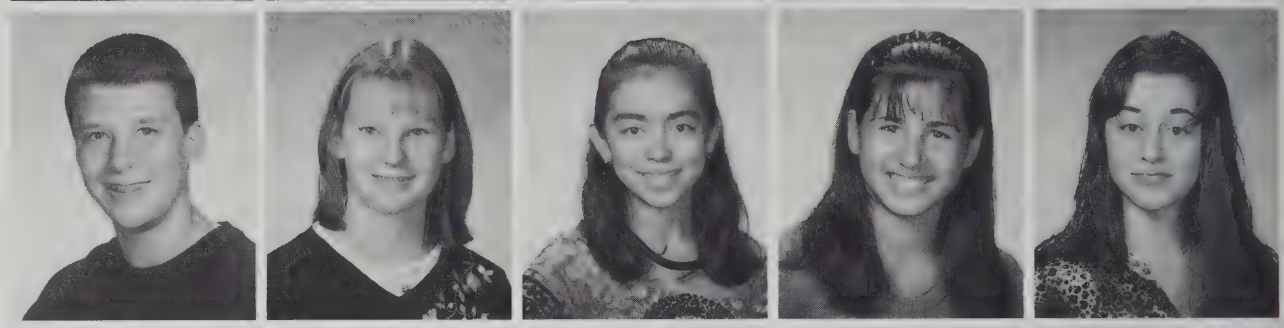

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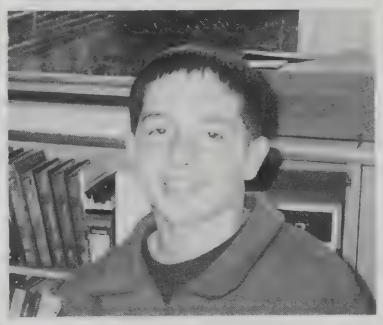

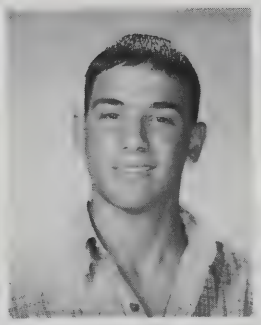

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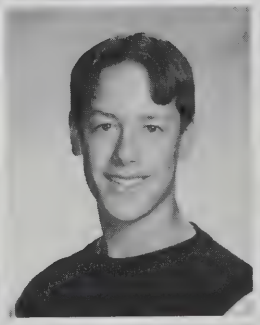

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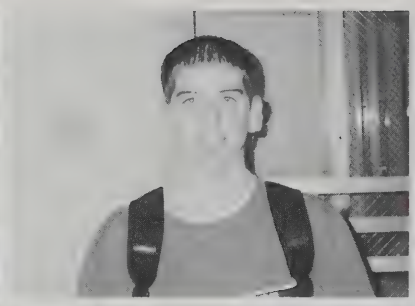

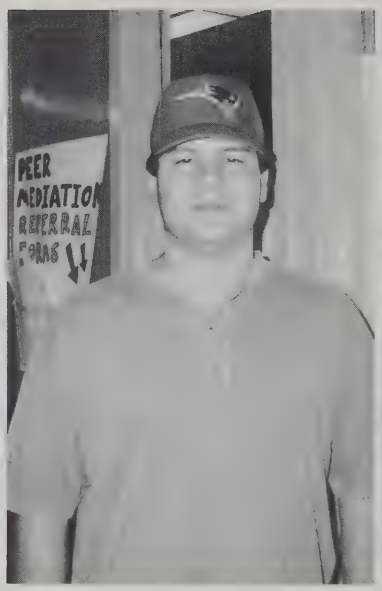

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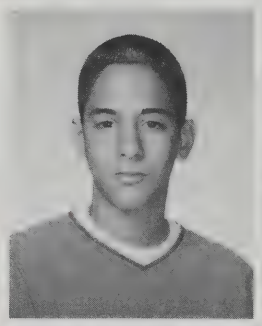

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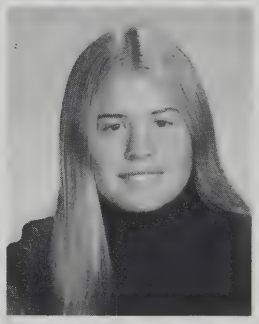
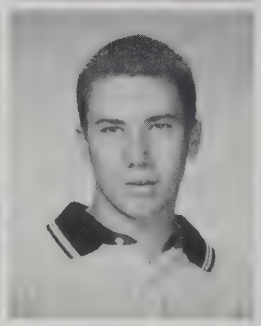
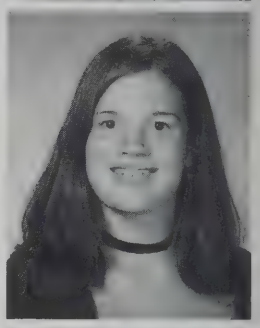

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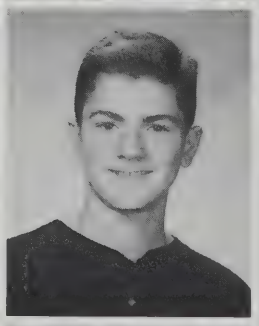

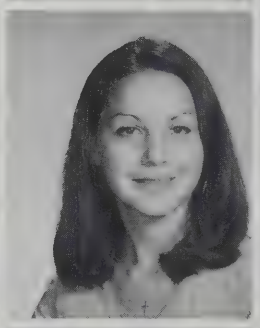
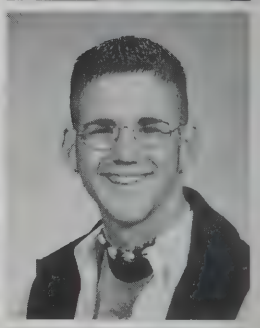

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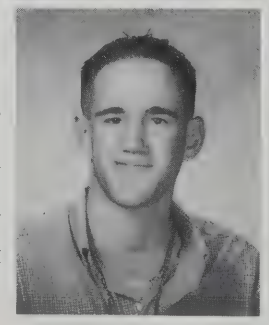

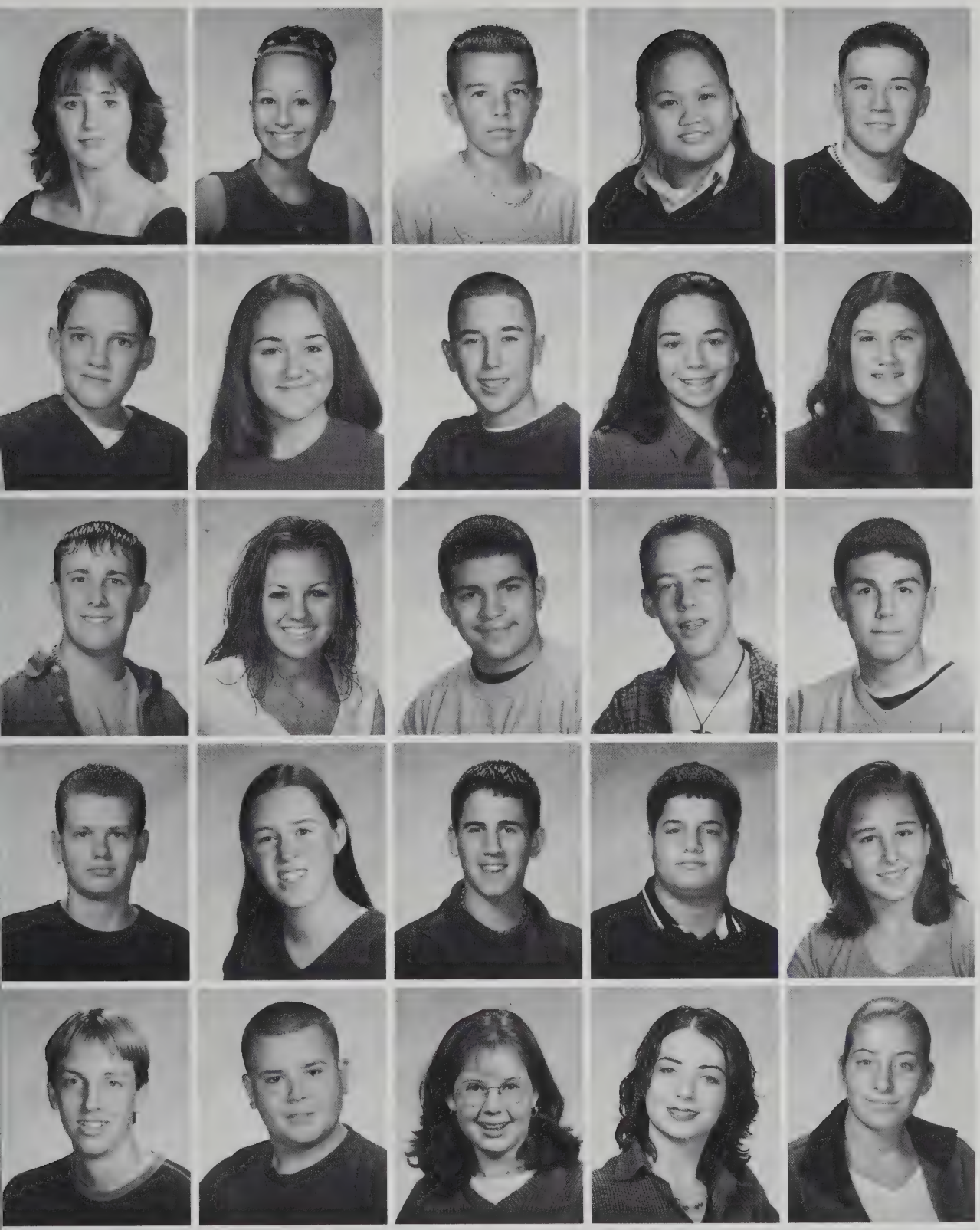

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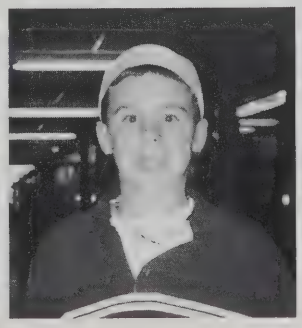

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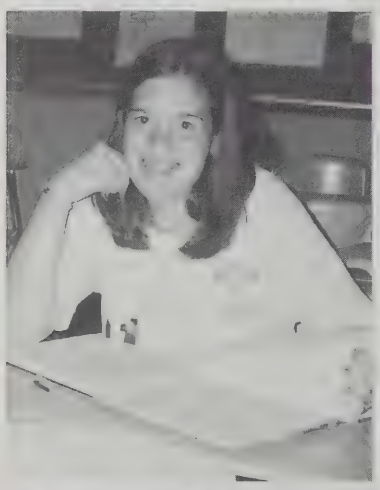

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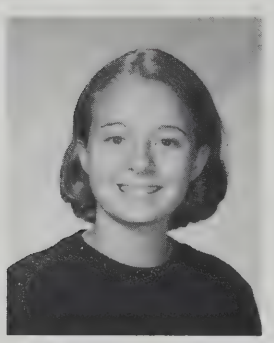

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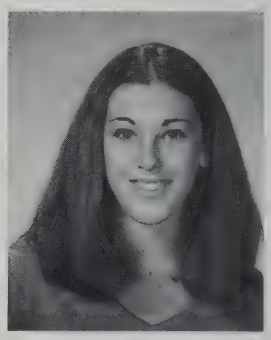

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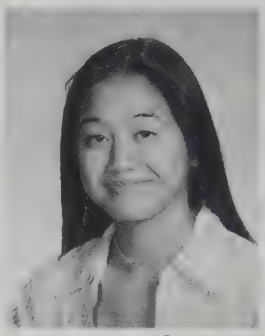

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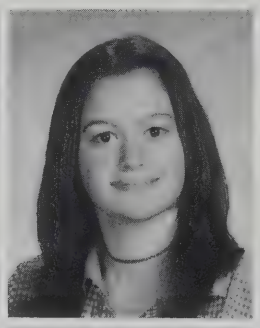

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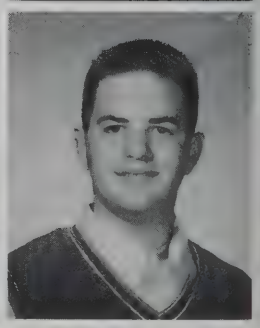

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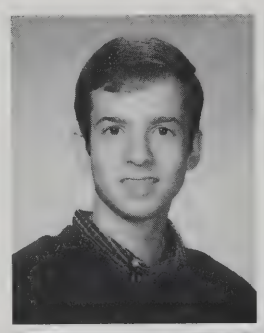
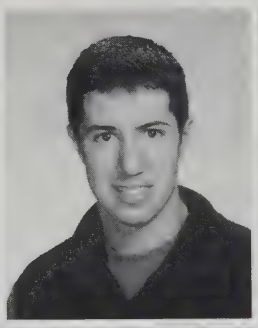

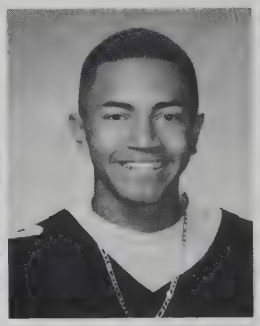

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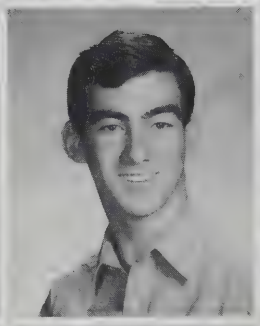

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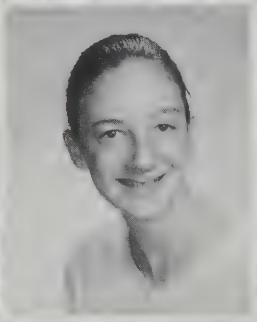
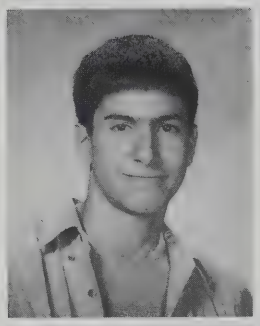

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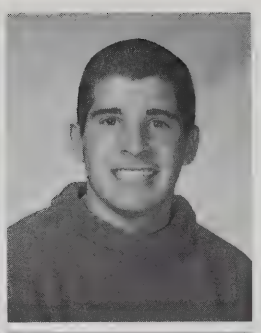

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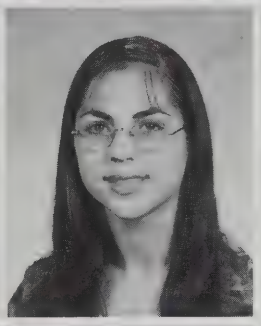

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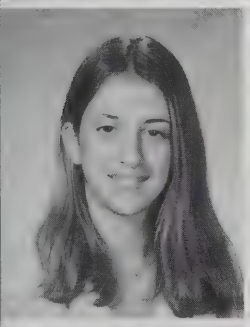

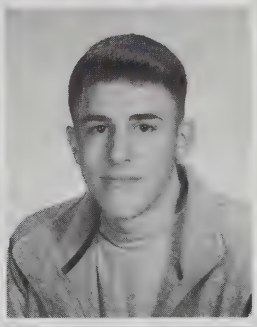
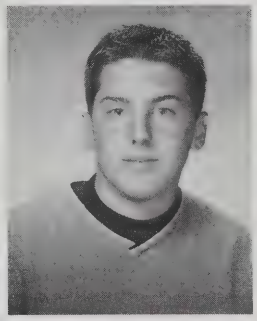

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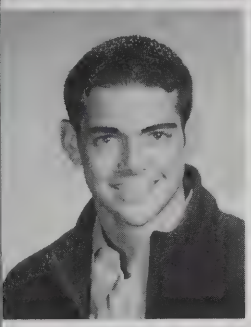
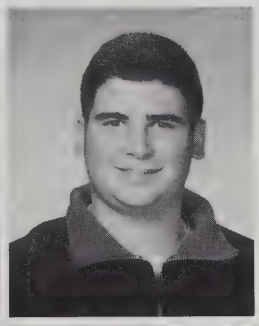
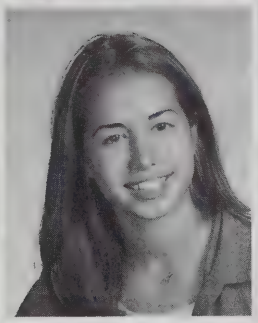
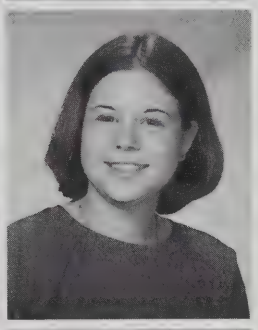
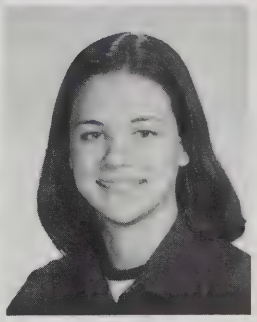

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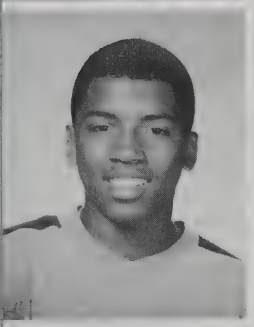

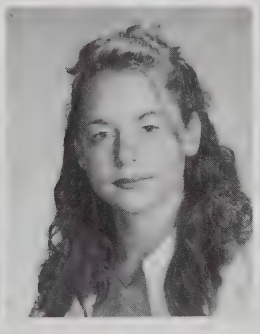

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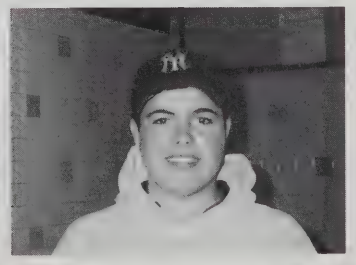

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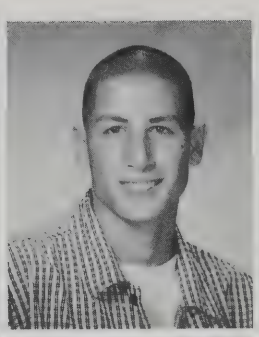
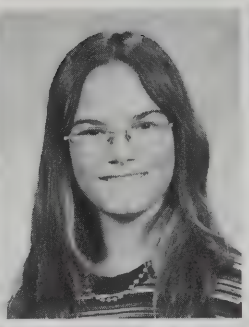

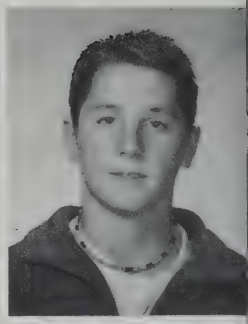

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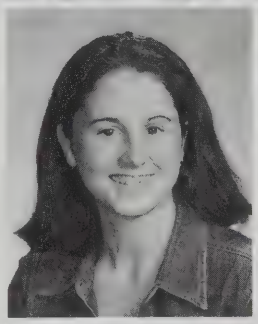
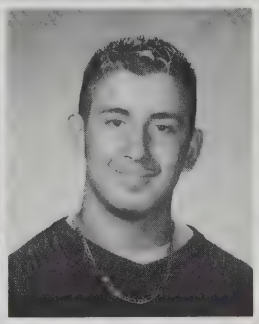
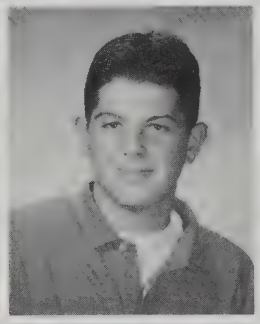
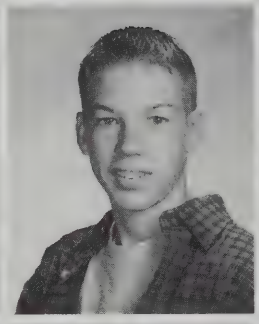
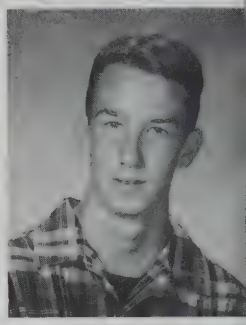

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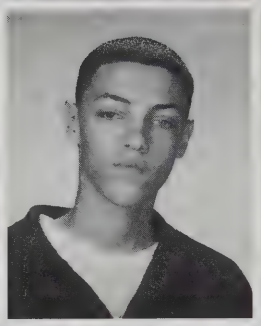

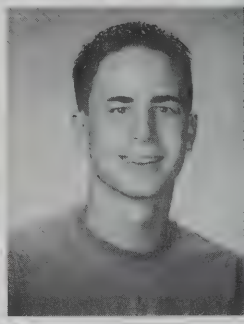

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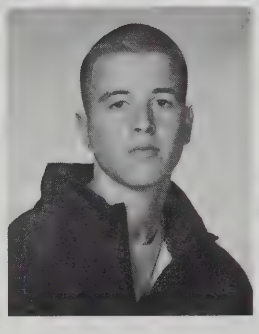

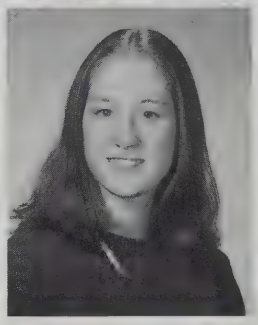
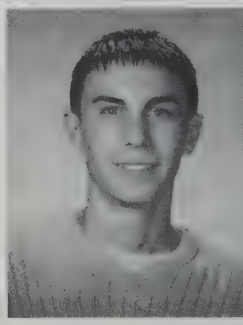

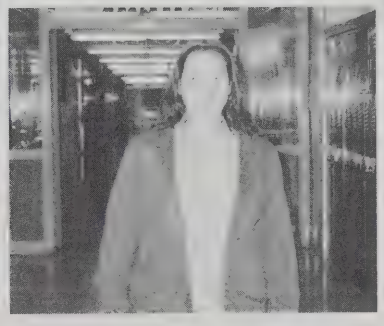

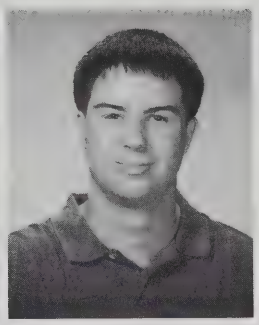
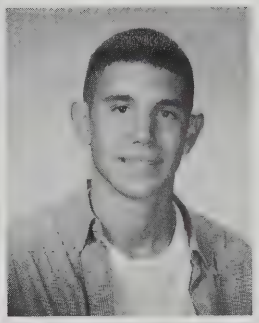

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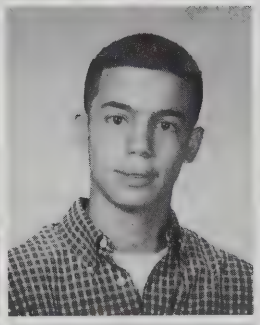

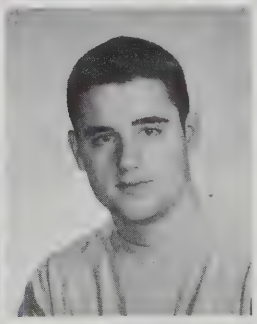

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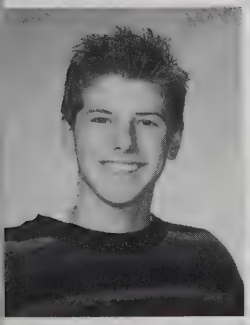

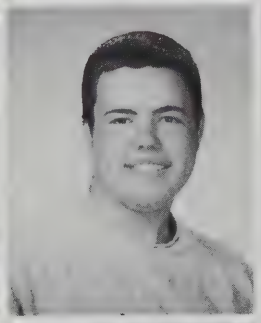
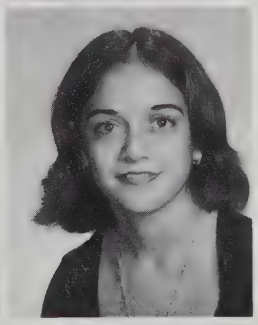

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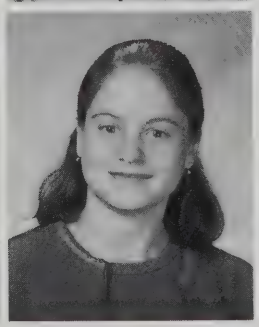

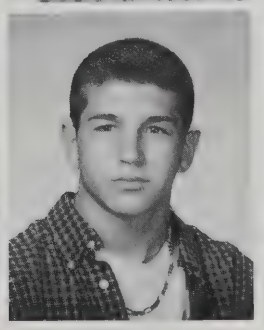

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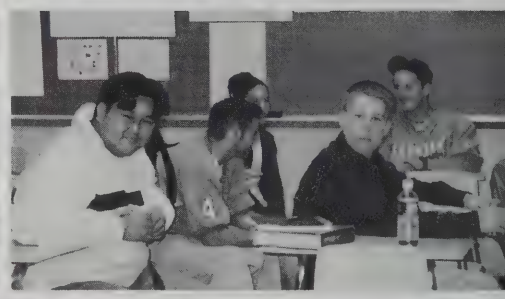

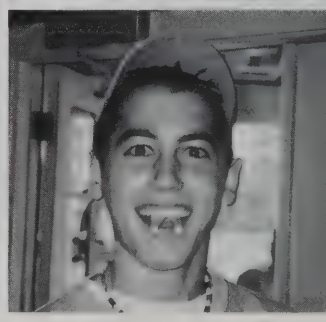

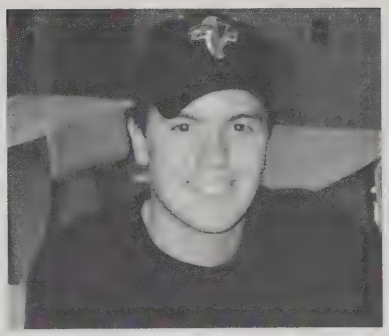
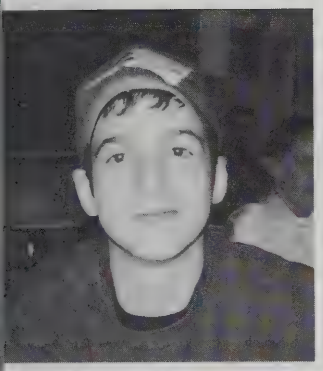
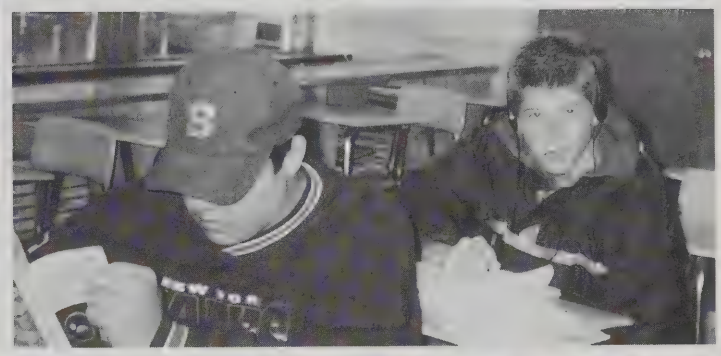

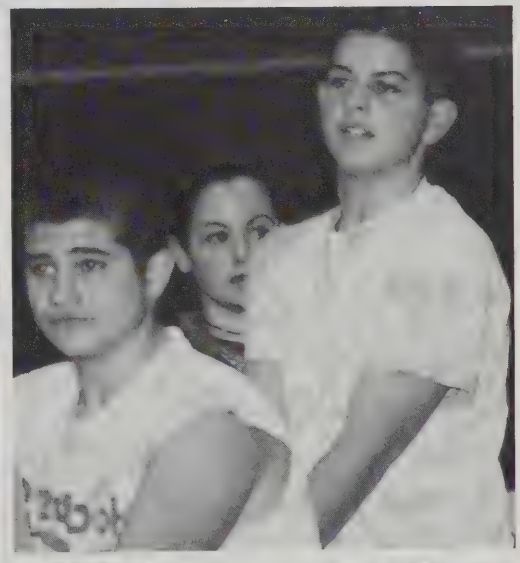

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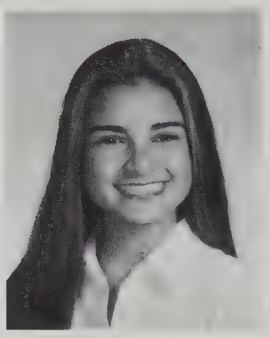

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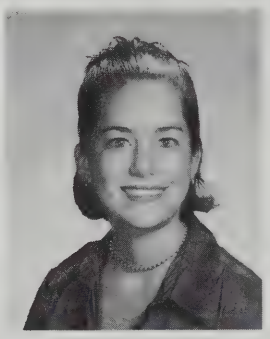

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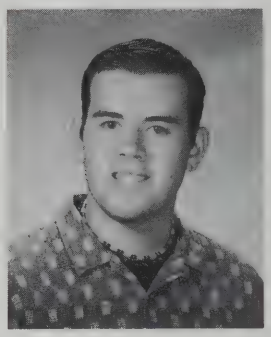

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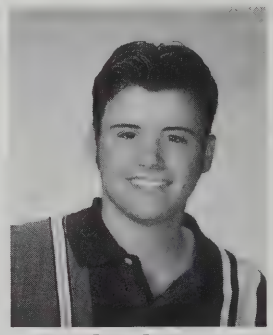

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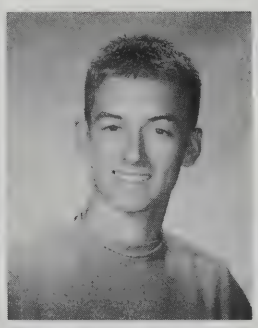

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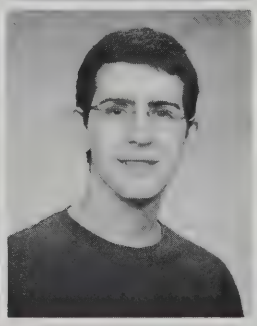

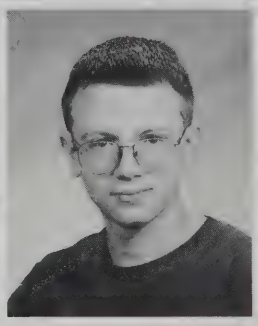

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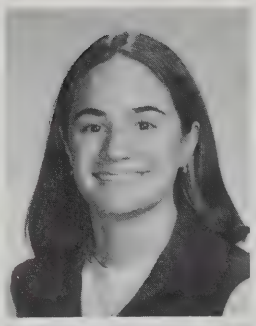

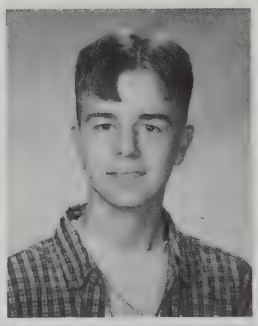
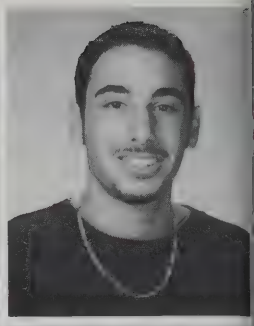

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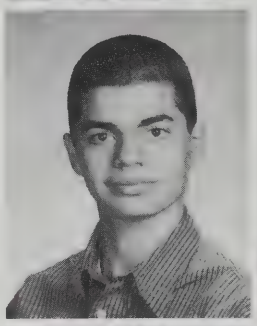
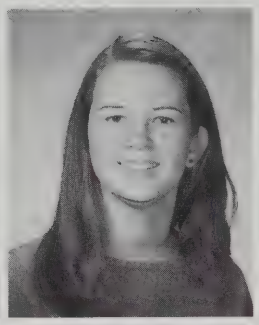
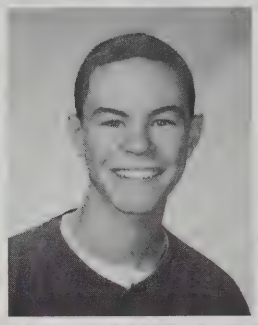

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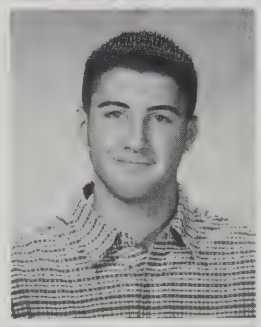

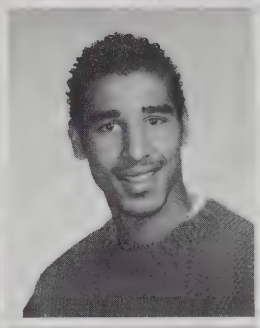

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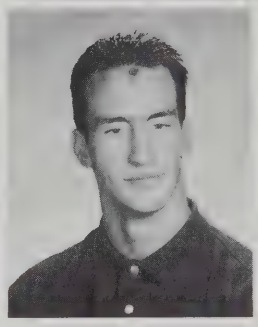

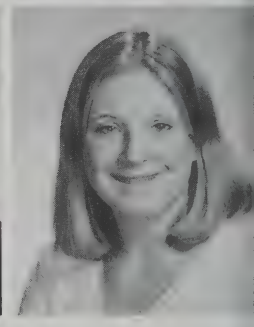

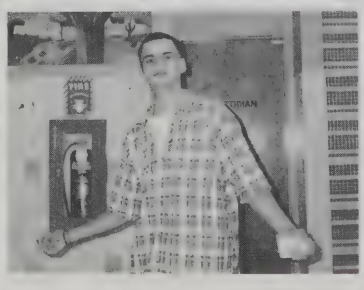

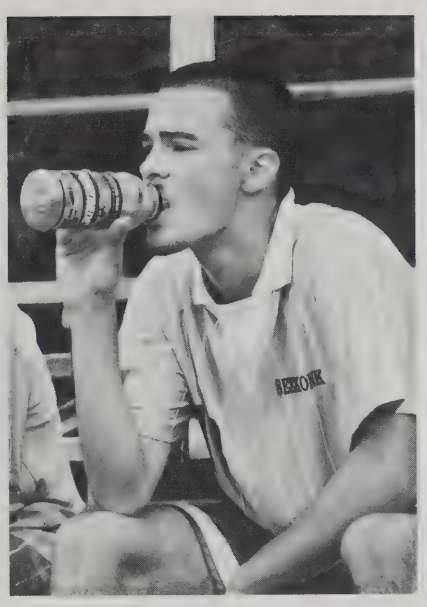

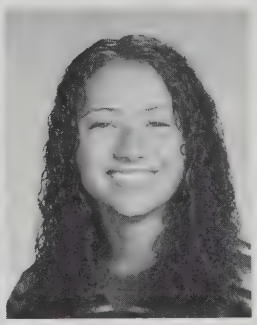

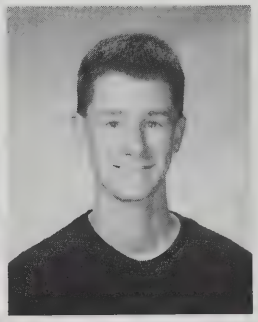

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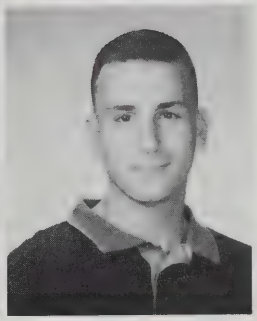

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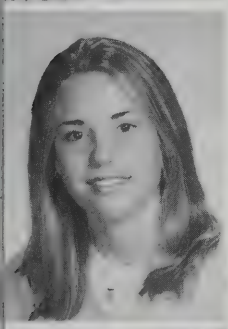
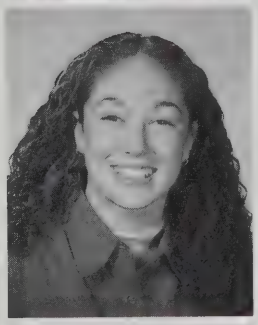

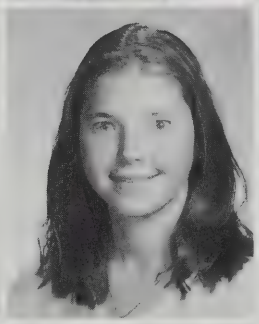
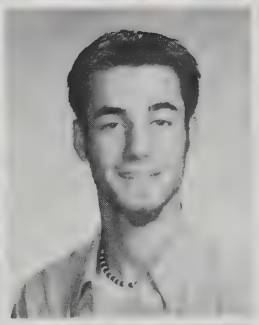

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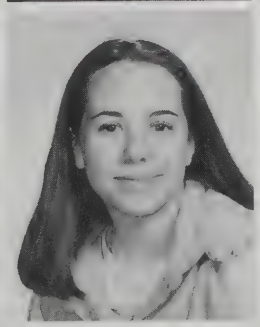

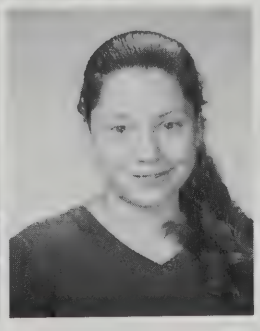

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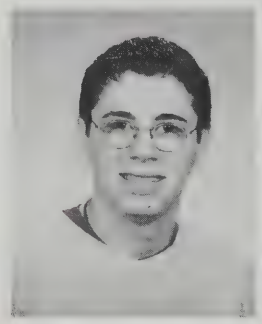

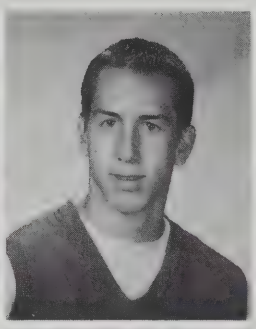

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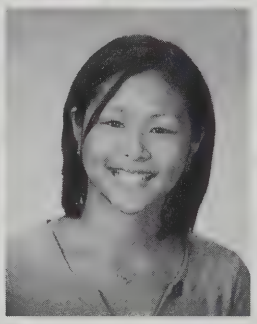

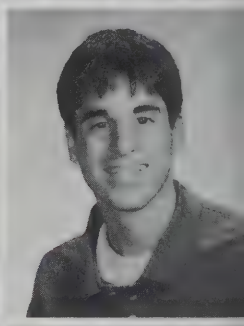

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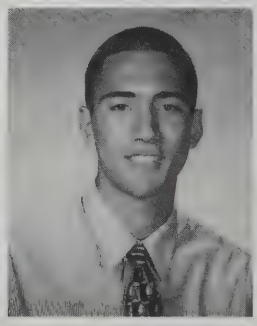

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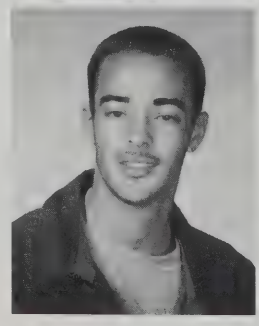
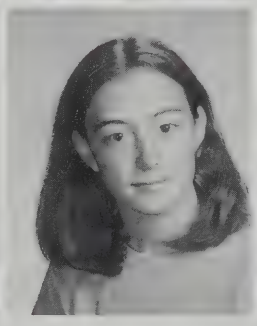

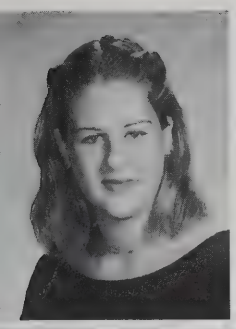
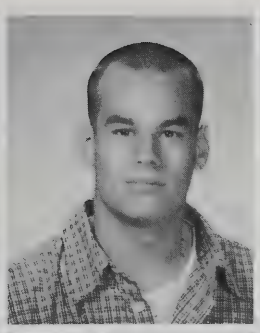
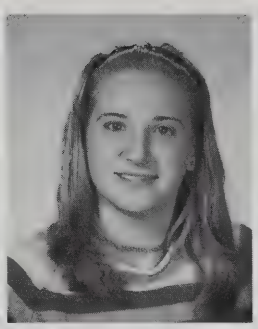
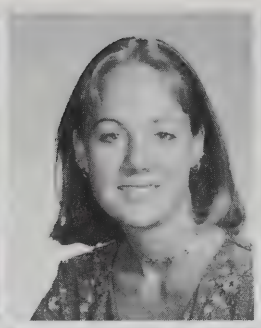

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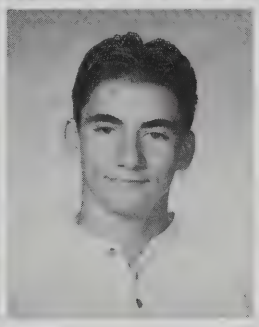

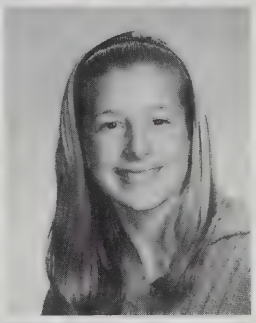

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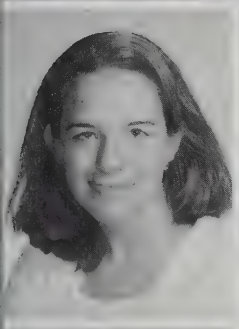
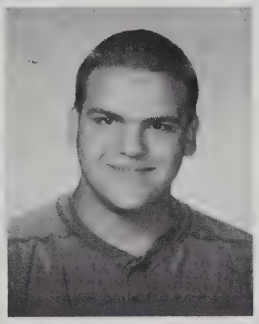

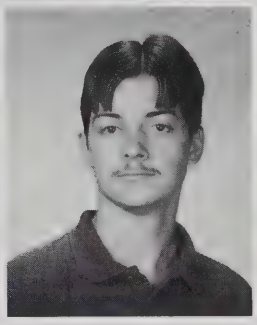
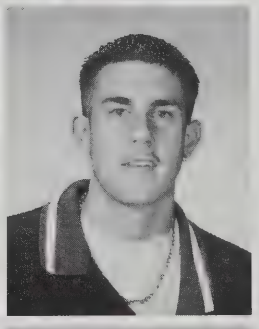

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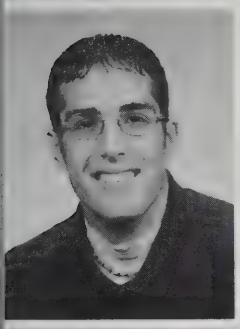

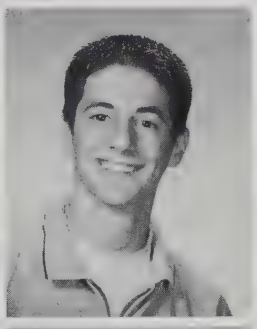
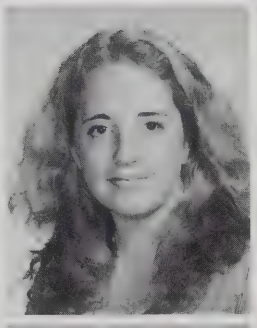

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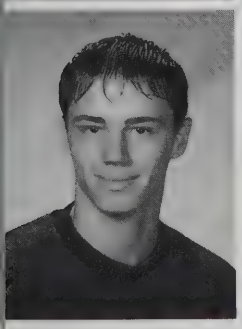

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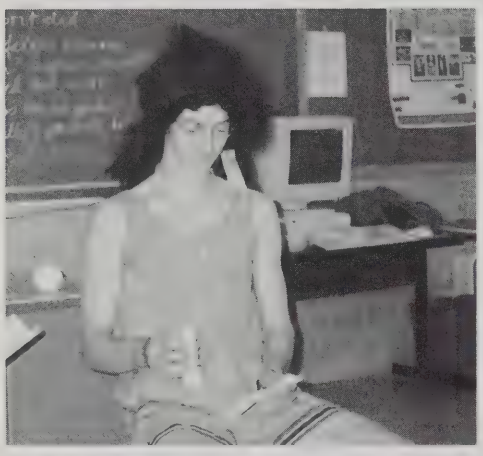
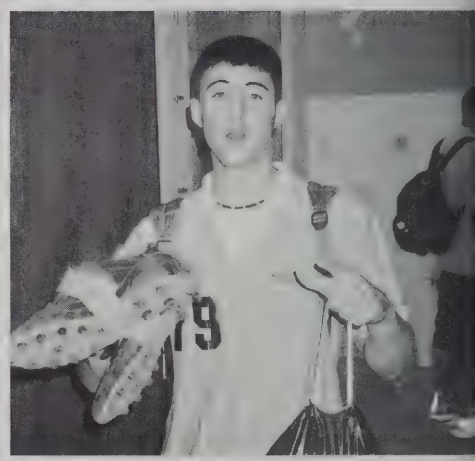
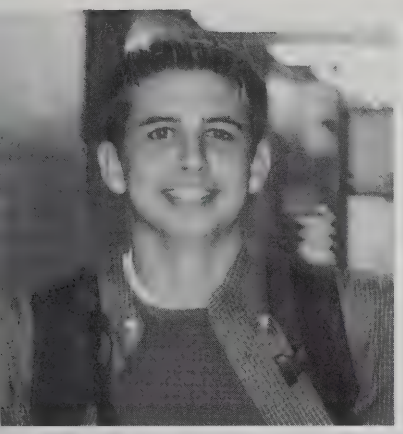
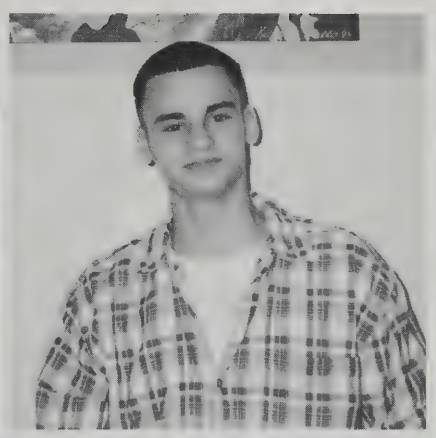
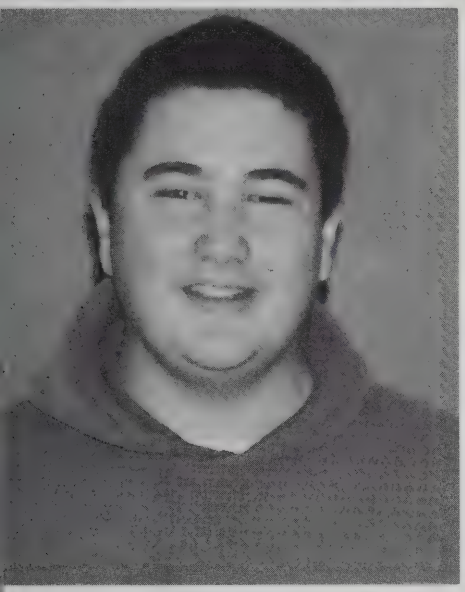
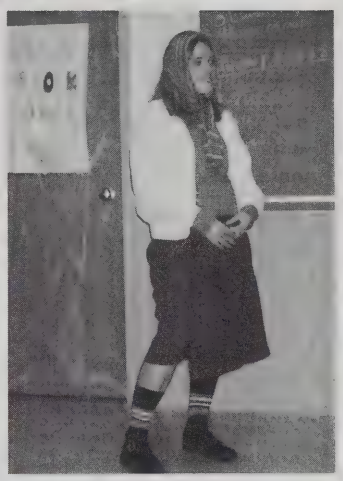
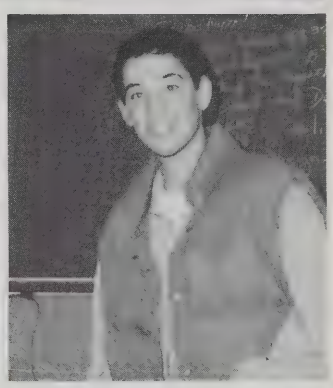
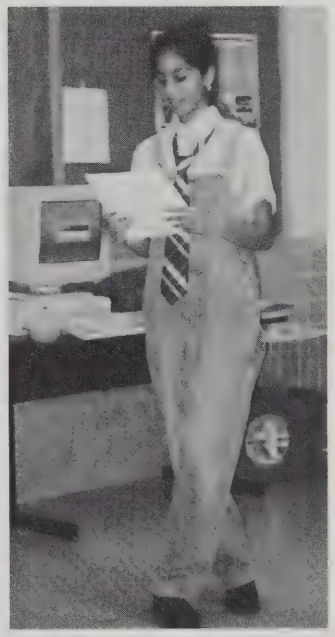
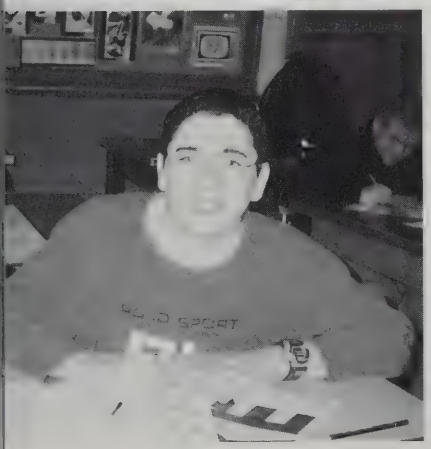
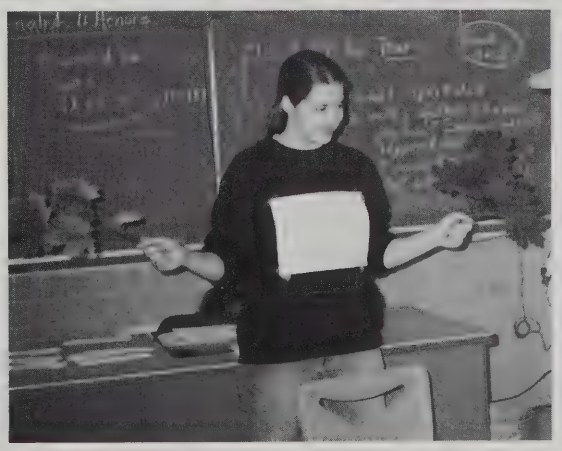






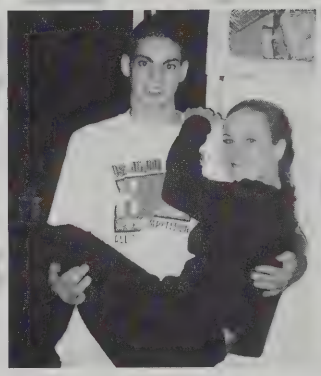



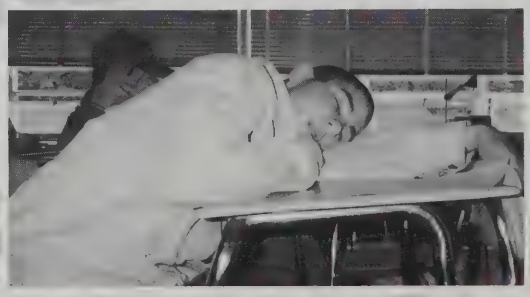




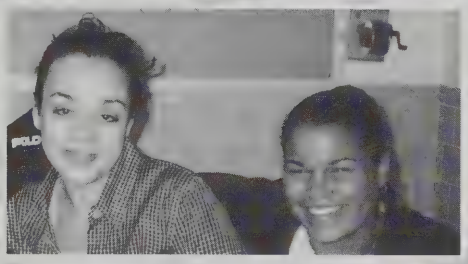
"You never know when you're making a memory ..."

As time goes on, we will forget about verbs and adverbs, we will no longer understand foreign languages. The only history in our minds will be the friendships we formed way back in high school. We won't remember chemistry equations or math problems, but we will remember the hands we've held, hearts we've touched, and friends we've made. Hold on to your friends, you won't know how much you'll miss them until they're gone.

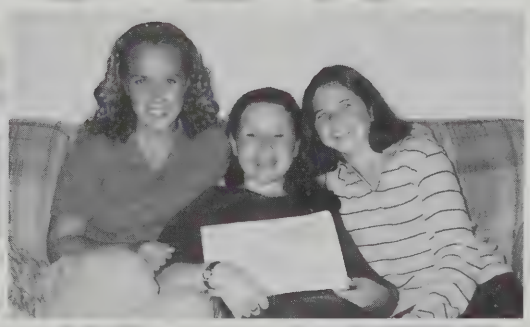
I will remember you...







...will you remember me?



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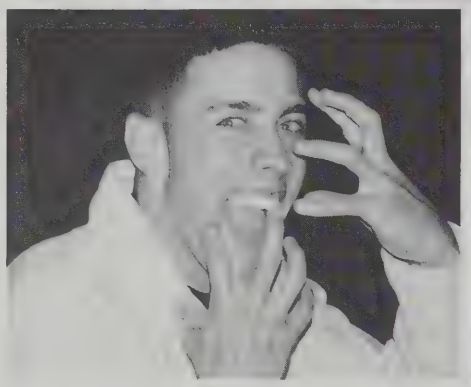
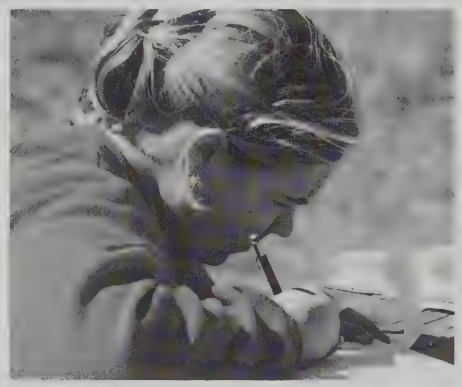
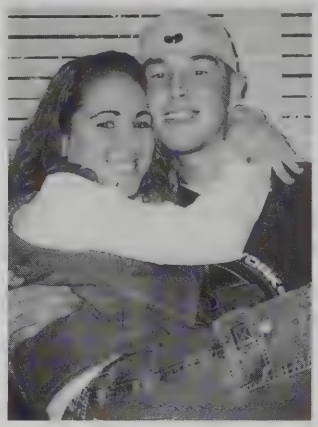
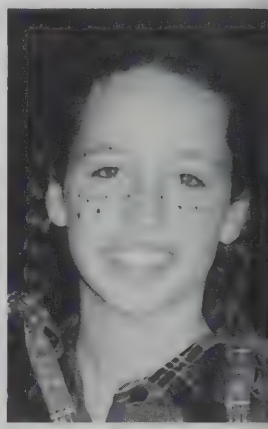
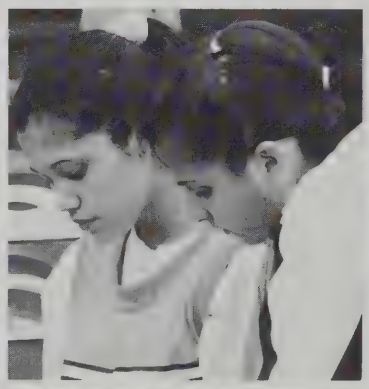





When dawn drops her curtain down
you have friends out there,



and pins it with a star, you know
though they may wander far.

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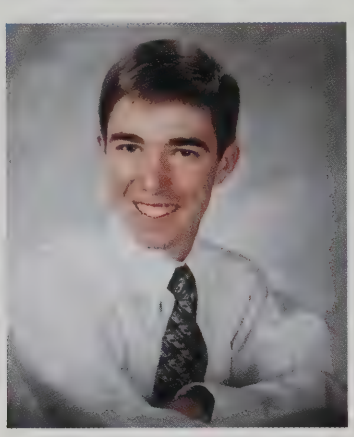
Chairman



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Maura Hart
Member

Ashley Kaplan
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Kelli Murtha
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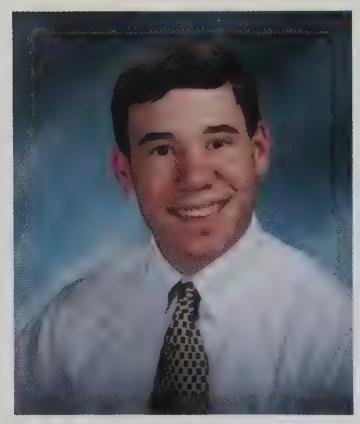
Brent Poliquin
Member

Christine Sloyer
Member



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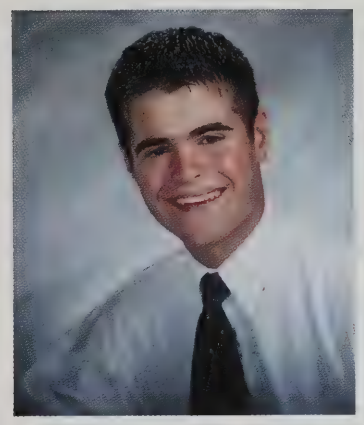
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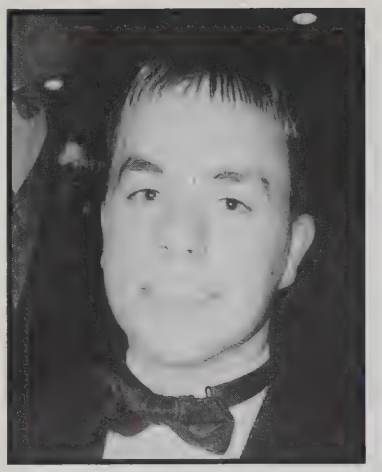

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Stephen Alaownis
52 Cleveland Street
To be an elementary school teacher
"Live for today, prepare for tomorrow."
JV Soccer 9; Tennis 10-12; Concert Band 9-12, Captain 12; National Honor Society 11, 12.

Kimberly Patricia Alarie
39 Balmoral Court
To be successful, happy, and healthy
"Hope is the thing with feathers, that perches on the soul and sings the tune without the words and never stops at All." -Emily Dickenson

Jenny Amaral

Cyndi Anderson
62 Read Street
"Don't cry because it's all over, be happy because it happened." -Unknown
"I slept, and dreamed that life was beauty; I woke, and found that life was duty." -Hooper
"A pine bench, with Mark Hopkins at one end of it and me at the other, is a good enough college for me." -James A. Garfield
Outdoor Track 9, 10, 12; German Exchange 11; News Paper 12; Yearbook 12.

Lori Andrade
1 Benson Avenue
To be an aspiring actress, but I will most likely major in business management and open up my own health facility, I want to get married and have a big family
"Giving someone your friendship is so special. You're giving them a piece of you, a piece of who and what you are. It's like saying 'Here, I like you this much.'" -Lori Andrade
"Maria dos Anjos will always be remembered. I love you Tia." -Lori Andrade
Volleyball 9, 10; Drama Club 12; Key Club 12.

James Fredric Appleton Jr.
42 Leann Drive
To believe in myself and to succeed in whatever I do
"It's easier to go down the mountain than up, but the view is best from the top."
Varsity Baseball 9-12, Captain 12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Sundaes 10-12; Key Club 12.

Andrea Armitage

Christopher Thomas Ayers
12 Cedar Lane
To be self employed
"I'm gonna miss sitting here looking out of this window." -Chris
Work Study 12.

B

Cynthia Jane Badway
26 Pamela Court
To graduate from high school and move to Florida with my friends; to go to Florida Atlantic University and get a high-paying job
Basketball 9; Softball 9; Volleyball 9, 10; Honor Roll 9-12.

Michael M. Bairos
813 County Street
To run a business and enjoy life as much as possible
Football 9; Indoor Track 11, 12; Outdoor Track 10-12.

Tammy Beland
42 Hillcrest Road

Jonathan Raymond Benoit
54 Wildflower Drive
To become an E.M.T.
"Life is one big party, enjoy it while you can." -Bill Benoit
Baseball 10-12; Newspaper 11.

Michelle Benoit
80 Ferncliffe Road
To help kids understand that they are loved and cherished by all and to have my kids brought up with love and respect
"Life may be a 'Great Balancing Act', but through it all 'There's fun to be done." -Booklist (about Dr. Seuss's *Oh, the Places You'll Go!*)
Drama 9; French Honor Society 10; Indoor Track 9, 10; Outdoor Track 9; Soccer 9-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Chorus 9, 10; Creative Awareness 9.

Abigail Lee Bense
24 Kenyon Drive USA
Sønderbyvej 23, 6510 Gram DK
"Be like a bird/ That, pausing in flight/ Awhile on boughs too slight,/ Feels them give way/ Beneath her and sings,/ Knowing that she hath wings." -Victor Hugo
"We shall not cease from exploration/ And the end of all our exploring/ Will be to arrive where we started/ And know that place for the first time." -T.S. Eliot
Drama 10, 12; Creative Awareness 9, 10; Honor Roll 9; Exchange Student 11, 12; Paris Trip 10; Special Olympics 9-10, 12; Volleyball 9-11; Youth Alive 10, 11.

Brooke Bergeron
38 Willard Ave
To be happy and fulfill my dreams
"There are three kinds of people in this world- those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who wonder what the hell just happened." -Anonymous
"Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today." -James Dean

Basketball Cheerleading 9, 10; Competition Cheerleading 9, 10; Drama 10, 11; Football Cheerleading 9, 10; Independent Study 12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12; Mock Trial 11; Newspaper 12; Outdoor Track 9; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Amy Blaisdell
513 Taunton Avenue
To be a speech and language pathologist
"We live in the present, we dream in the future, but we learn eternal truths from the past." -Unknown
Softball 9-12; Volleyball 9-12, Captain 12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Key Club 9-12; Newspaper 11, 12; Spirit Week 9-12; Yearbook 11, 12; Basketball 9.

William Blinn III

David Scott Boisvert
132 Cherry Hill Drive
To do what I want, when I want, and with whomever I want
"I got a snake." -Adam Sandler
"Make sure you love for the right reasons, or it won't be worth it." -DB
Baseball 9, 10; Basketball 9, 10; Football 9; N.R.T.A. 10.

Steve "Ponte" Borges
228 Chestnut Street
"He who knows others is wise, he who knows himself is enlightened." -Tao Te Ching "Remain calm, serene, always in command of yourself. You will then find out how easy it is to get along." -Paramanhansa Yogananda
Honor Roll 9-12.

Michaela Erin Bradley
108 Tee Jay Drive
To strive for my goals - ending in success and happiness
"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some people move our souls to dance. They awaken us to new understanding with the passing whisper of their wisdom. Some people make the sky more beautiful to gaze upon. They stay in our lives for awhile,

ve footprints in our hearts, and are never, ever, the same."
oor Track 9-12; JV Soccer 10; tdoor Track 10-12; Varsity cer 11, 12, Captain 12; bassadors 9; Explorer's Club Key Club 10-12; National nor Society 11, 12; Paper Cuts Academic Excellence 10-12; rbook 12.

hany Lauren Brown
Marehaven Drive
heart is not judged by how ch you love, but how much are loved by others." -The ard of Oz
ok for the rainbow in every rm." -Anonymous
ketball 9; Indoor Track 10; ma Club 10-12; Japanese bassador 10-12; Washington p 10.

nifer Ilene Brown
Pine Street
ppiness sneaks through a r you didn't know you left n." -John Barrymore
e moves pretty fast. If you 't stop and look around once while, you could miss it." - ris Bueller
tball 9-12; Volleyball 9-12, tain 12; Key Club 9-12; Spirit k 9-12.

becca Burke

dra Burnock

anda Burns
Oakhill Ave
go away for a while
your angel undercover." - edith Brookes
edom is not free."
nce Club 9, 11.

ribeth Erin Byrne
Summer Drive
make a difference in someone 's life, to make everyone und me happy, and to be py
e moves pretty fast. If you 't stop and look around once in a while...you could miss it." - Matthew Broderick, *Ferris Bueller's Day Off*
"Screws just fall out all the time. The world is an imperfect place." -Judd Nelson, *The Breakfast Club*
Swim 9-12; Key Club 11, 12; French Honor Society 10-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; Peer Tutoring 11; France Trip 10; Yearbook 12; Paper Cuts 10; Creative Awareness 10-12; Track 11; Japanese Exchange 11-12; Spirit Week 9-12.

C

Stewart Carpenter
150 Arcade Avenue
To go to college and find a good career
"Life is too short to worry about who you aren't or want to be, just be happy with yourself."
Indoor Track 9-12; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Soccer 9-12; Band 9-12; Honor Roll.

Rodolfo Castro

Casey Rae Cetenich
5 Agawam Court
To cherish my yesterdays, dream my tomorrows, and live my todays
"When your heart is in your dream, no request is too extreme." -Jimminy Cricket
Field Hockey 9-12; Indoor Track 9; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Japanese Ambassador 11; Key Club 11, 12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Jeffrey Charles Chakouian II
125 South Wheaton Avenue
I will never forget my experiences at Seekonk High School. I have done a lot of great things. I want to thank my coaches and teachers, especially Mr. Mooney, for all you have done for me. I want to thank my friends for showing me a good time. I want to sincerely thank my love of my life, Dawn. You have always been there for me and words just can't explain how I feel about you. You will always hold a special piece of my heart. Thanks Mom and Dad for always being there. I will never forget any of you. GEN, I'll never forget. From the bottom of my heart, thank you all.
Basketball 9; Indoor Track 10-12, Captain 12, National Champion; Outdoor Track 10-12, Captain 12, National Champion; Varsity Football 9-11; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Mock Accident 11; Spirit Week 10-12; Yearbook 12.

Chung Cheng
32 Musket Road
"To sleep, or not to sleep, this is the question." -Me

Benjamin J Chevrette
100 Cherry Hill Drive
"I've got to live my life a way I feel is right for me, may not be right for you, but it's right for me." -Sarah MaLachlan
"What you will not let go, no one can take from you." -Julius Cesar
Key Club; Drama; Washington Trip.

Brian Chianese
53 Meadowlark Drive
To have fun, a family, and enjoy my life and job
"A hundred years from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in, or the kind of car I drove... But the world will be different because I was important in the life of someone else."
Cross Country 9-12, Captain 12; Indoor Track 10; LEO Club 12; Outdoor Track 9, 11, 12; Swim 9, 11, 12, Captain 11, 12; Key Club 11, 12; Yearbook 12.

Elizabeth Ciccio
106 Coleman Street
"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while and leave footprints in our hearts. And we are never, ever the same." -Unknown
"You must love yourself before you love another." -Jane Roberts
"To thine own self be true." - William Shakespeare
Academic Excellence 11, 12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Field Hockey 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12.

Wendy Ann Cole
22 Loch Lomond Road
To be the best mother possible
"Michael, I earned this diploma for you. Love, Mom"
World Special Olympics - Team USA - Track and Field - Gold Medal 1500 meters, Silver Medal 800 meters, Bronze Medals 400 meters and 4x400 relay; V.T.C. Dinner/Dance Committee 10-12.

Paul Cooney
993 Pine Street
"If you can't say anything ignorant, don't say anything at all." -Paul Cooney
To Mr. 'Budda' Petrucci, excuse me, No!

Rebecca C. Kaufman-Cordeiro
110 Meadowlark Drive
To be an entertainer in dance and go to college and study to become an occupational therapist
"Life is easier than you think... all you have to do is: accept the

Sandra Burnock

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Maribeth Byrne

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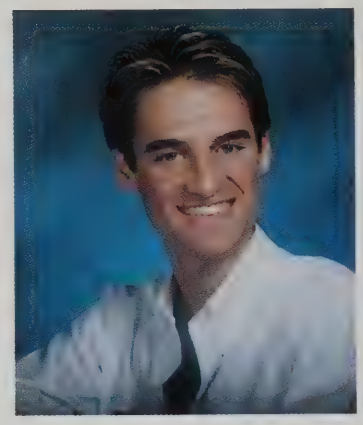
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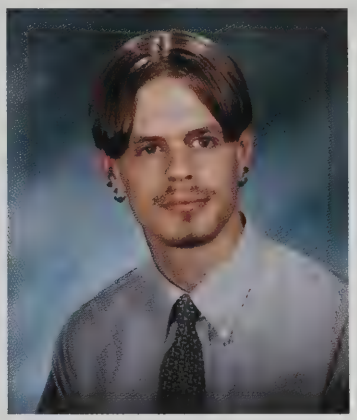
Diane DaGraca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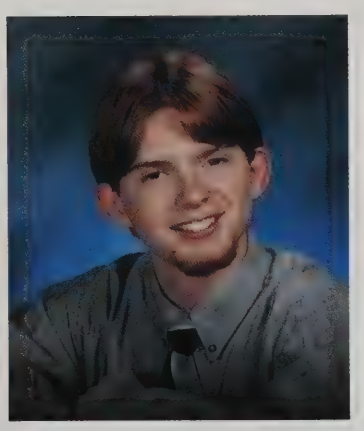

Stephen Fantasia

Natalie Ferland

Caleb Fiero

impossible, do without the indispensable, bear the intolerable, and be able to smile at anything ... Heeeaaay!" -Anonymous
Field Hockey 9-12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Concert Band 9-12; Creative Awareness 10-12; French Honor Society 11; Key Club 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12.

Anabela Correia
225 Forest Avenue
To be successful in all that I do, and to be there for my daughter, Alizabeth, whenever she needs me
"Live for today, for you don't know what tomorrow shall bring."
Japanese Ambassador 10, 11.

David Coyle

Kelley Crowley
736 Ledge Road
"Everyone here's to blame, everyone here gets caught up in the pleasure of the pain, everyone hides shades of shame, but looking inside we're the same, we're the same." -Matchbox 20
"We've made houses for hatred, it's time we made a place where people's souls may be seen and made safe. Be careful with each other, these fragile flames. For innocence can't be lost, it just needs to be maintained." -Jewel
Indoor Track 10; Soccer 10-12, Captain 10-12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Eighth Grade Camping Trip Chaperone 11, 12; Executive Board 12; Drama Club 9; GSA 10-12; HOBY 10; Key Club 9, 10; National Honor Society 11, 12; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; Washington Trip 10.

Stephanie Anne Cunha
248 Chestnut Street
"I like nonsense, It wakes up the brain cells. Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in living; it's a way of looking at life through the wrong end of telescope, which is what I do, and that enables you to laugh at life's realities." -Dr. Seuss

"People are always blaming their circumstances for what they are. I don't believe in circumstances. The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want, and if they can't find them, they make them." -G. Bernard Shaw
Academic Excellence 9-12; Drama 9; Honor Roll 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Japanese Planning Committee 10, 11; Mock Trial 11, 12; Job Shadowing 11; Key Club 10-12, Officer 12; National Honor Society 12; Newspaper 11; Science Fair 9; Spanish Honor Society 11, 12; Spirit Week 9-12; Yearbook 11, 12.

D

Diane Dagraca
128 Sykes Road
To go to college and study nursing because I plan on being a Registered Nurse
Basketball Cheerleading 10.

Justin Dalton

Jillian Darling
85 Raymond Drive
To become a pediatric doctor
"Genius is 1% inspiration and 99% perspiration." -Thomas Alva Edison
Academic Excellence 9-11; Creative Awareness 9, 11; Drama 9; Spirit Week; Youth Alive 9-12.

Julie DaSilva
355 Miller Street
To study sports medicine and become successful in the field. Also to hopefully play field hockey in college
"Be true to yourself and you will never fall." -Beastie Boys
"Attitude is the key to success!"
Field Hockey 9-12, Captain12; Softball 9, 10, 12; Indoor Track 9, 10.

Kendra Lee DeBrum
98 Willard Avenue
"Your friend is the man who knows all about you, and still likes you." -Elbert Hubbard
"Enjoy yourself. These are the good old days you are going to miss in the years ahead." -Anonymous
Basketball Cheerleading 10-12, Captain 12; Football Cheerleading 11, 12; Basketball 9; Honor Roll 9, 10.

Courtney Susan Denelle
51 Turnstone Lane
I wish for myself to stop pacing the aisles and counting the miles. Instead, climb more mountains, eat more ice cream, go barefoot more often, swim more rivers, watch more sunsets, laugh more, cry less, and live my life as I go along.
"Some of it's magic, and some of it's tragic. But I've had a good life all the way." -Jimmy Buffet
"Life is too important to be taken seriously." -Oscar Wilde
Class of 2000 ... It's Been Real!
Indoor Track 9; Softball 10; Varsity Swim 9-12; School Record Holder 9-12; Independent Study 12; Key Club 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Science Club 9-12; Spirit Week 9-12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Christina E. DiLustro
8 Pheasant Ridge Road
"Do not take life too seriously - you will never get out of it alive." -Elbert Hubbard
"There are two things to aim at in life: first to get what you want; and, after that, to enjoy it. Only the wisest of mankind achieve the second." -Logan Pearlsall Smith
"Experience is the name everyone gives his mistakes." -Elbert Hubbard
Basketball 9-12; Field Hockey 9-12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Partnership Program 11-12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Matthew DiPaola

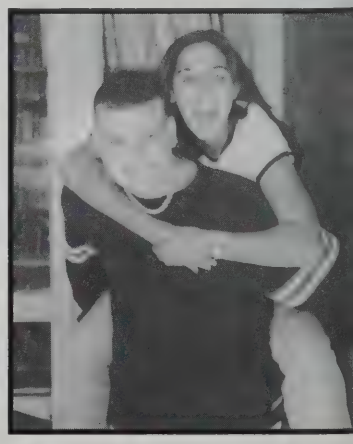
Joshua Doktor
66 Central Avenue
To be successful and become a history teacher
"Don't let fear stand in the way of your dreams, even if your wildest dream is your biggest fear."
Baseball 9, 10; Basketball 9, 10; Football 9-12; Indoor Track 11, 12; Peer Mediation 12; Outdoor Track 11, 12.

Lauren Dorazio
146 Sykes Road
"You gain strength, courage and confidence by every experience by which you really stop to look fear in the face. You are able to say to yourself, if I live through this, I can take the next thing tha comes along." -Eleanor Roosevelt
"It's alright letting yourself go, as long as you can get yourself back." -Anonymous
Field Hockey 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Yearbook 12; Key Club 11.

Elizabeth Dumont
485 Pine Street
To live a long, happy life
"Courage is being scared to death but saddling up anyway." -John Wayne
Basketball Cheerleading 9; Volleyball 9; German Exchange 9, 10; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 9-12.

Jessie E Dumont
161 Willis Avenue
To be an elementary school teacher
"I will never forget the memories with my friends and Dave, I love you and you will always be in my heart."
"When you were born people smiled. Live your life so when you die people will cry."
Basketball 9, 10; Basketball Cheerleading 11, 12; Chorus 9; Football Cheerleading 11, 12; Japanese Exchange 11; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Spirit Week 9-12;Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Robert Dunn
660 Fall River Ave
To be happy with my work and life no matter what, to travel to many places.



hereby declare to the world, I
l be a Pokemon master!" - Ash
guaranteed journey like you've
ver heard before, through
ferent genres of music. See
ı on the dance floor." -Paul
kenfold

E

tthew Escaler
7 Mohawk Drive
ambition is to make a lot of
ney, make it far, in phat a car,
w like honey; live life to the
lest, do what I want to do, live
h style and luxury, like few
ple do
ur years today have come and
ne, like a sun in a day from
sk till dawn. Now it's time to
out there, into life, go to
lege make some money and
a family and a wife. My dream
o own a baby blue bimmer,
pped, rims, tint make it look
aner, have a home on the
ıch with waves on arise, live a
of a rich man, without the
."
urday Detention 9-12.

F

phen William Fantasia
Field Street
ey, you, get off my cloud. You
n't know me and you don't
w my style." -Method Man
is true musical justice when
love one has for writing and
ying music feeds into the love
has listening to it." -Candiria
ncert Band 9-12; Tennis 10-12;
rbook 12.

talie Ferland
Ellis Street
u have to forget about what
er people say, when you're
posed to die, or when you're
posed to be loving. You have
forget about all these things.
ı have to go on and be crazy.
ıziness is like heaven." - Jimi
ndrix

"I stand next to a mountain and chop it down with the edge of my hand. If I don't meet you no more in this world, then I'll see you in the next one. Don't be later." - Jimi Hendrix

Brian John Ferrara
12 Shirwood Drive
"Success is not final, failure not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts." - Winston Churchill
"In any moment of decision the best thing you can do is the right thing, the next best thing is the wrong thing, and the worst thing you can do is nothing." - Theodore Roosevelt
Academic Excellence 9-12; Big Brother 12; Class Council 12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Cross Country 9-12; Honor Roll 9-12; Indoor Track 9-12; Key Club 11, 12; LEO Club 12, Vice President 12; Math Team 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Newspaper 11; Outdoor Track 9-12; Peer Tutor 10-12; Science Club 12; Spanish Honor Society 10-12, Treasurer 12; Spirit Week 9-12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 11, 12, Editor 11, Chief Layout Editor 12.

Caleb Chadbourne Fiero
156 Bloomfield St.
To work as a concept designer at I.L.M. (Industrial Light and Magic effects shop)
"...Fear is the path to the Dark side. Fear leads to anger. Anger leads to hate... Hate leads to...Suffering..." - Yoda, Episode I
Concert Band 9-12; Indoor Track 11.

Ryan S. Fletcher
6 Cross Street
To find happiness and have fun in all ventures of life
"Don't gain the world and lose your soul, wisdom is better than silver and gold." -Bob Marley
Basketball 9-12, Captain 12; Football 9-11; Outdoor Track 9, 10, 12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Breakdancing 11, 12; Creative Awareness 9, 10; DJ-ing 10-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Pride Day 11; Soccer 12; Soup Kitchen 11; Spirit Week 9-12;

Student Council 11; Washington Trip 10.

Elizabeth Lynn Forest
77 Meadowlark Drive
To find my Prince Charming and live happily ever after
"The way the world underestimates me will be my greatest weapon. People pat me on the head and I say to myself, 'Oh, aren't they going to be surprised.'" -Ally McBeal
Tennis 10-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 9-12; Science Club 11, 12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Kelly Forrestal

G

Carol Lynn Geddes
171 Lauren Drive
"Don't be afraid to take a big step if one is indicated. You can't cross a chasm in two small jumps." -David Lloyd George
"A friend is someone who knows the song of your soul and sings it back to you when you've forgotten the words."
Basketball 9, 10; Field Hockey 9-12; Indoor Track 11, 12; Outdoor Track 10-12; Softball 9; Academic Excellence 9-12; France Trip 10; French Honor Society 10-12, Vice President 12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 9-12; Math Team 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; LEO Club 12, Secretary 12; Eighth Grade Camping Trip 11, 12; Job Shadowing 11.

Angel Linda Gomes
110 West River Street
"Experience is the most brutal teacher." -C.S. Lewis
"There are always two choices, two paths to take. One is easy, and its only reward is that it's easy."
Basketball 9; Basketball Cheerleading 11; Outdoor Track 10-12; Key Club 11, 12.

Robert Daniel Grourke
62 Meadowlark Drive
"Eighty percent of success is showing up." -Woody Allen
"I will prepare and someday my chance will come." -Abraham Lincoln
"I never did give anybody hell. I just told the truth and they thought it was hell." -Harry S. Truman

H

Sarah Halpin
16 Harriet Court
"Human diversity makes tolerance more than a virtue; it makes it a requirement for survival." - René Dubos
"Be whatever you want, but always be you." -Calvin Klein
Outdoor Track 9, 10, 12; Swim 9-12, Captain 12; Chorus 9-12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Drama Club 11, 12; Key Club 9, 10; Mock Trial 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Newspaper 9; Performance-Based Course 10; Spanish Honor Society 10-12, Secretary 12; Yearbook 9.

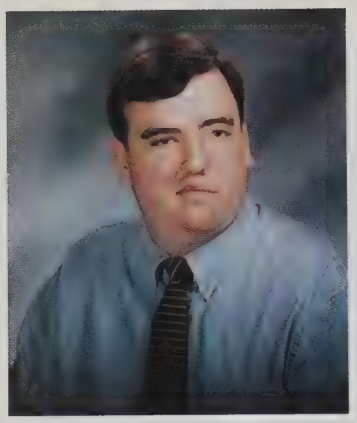
Shannon Marie Halpin
26 Grace Court
"And I walk in the air, between the rain, through myself, and back again-where? I don't know." -Adam Duritz
"It makes sense that it should happen this way, that the sky should break, and the earth should shake; as if to say, sure, it all matters, but in such an unimportant way." -Edgar Allan Poe

Ryan Fletcher

Elizabeth Forest

Carol Geddes

Angel Gomes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Sarah Halpin

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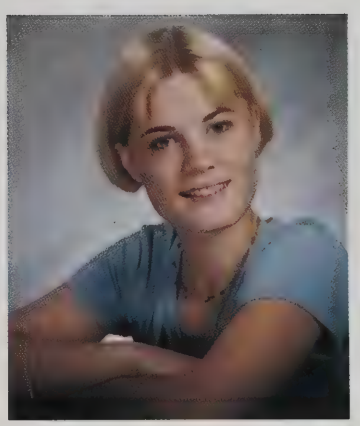
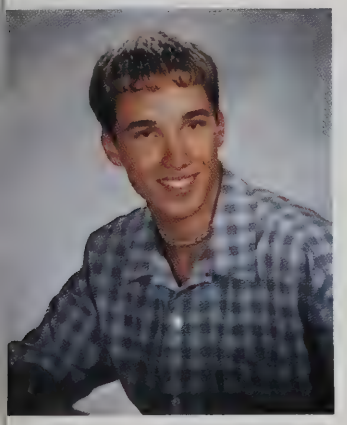

Rebecca L. Horton

Sharla Horton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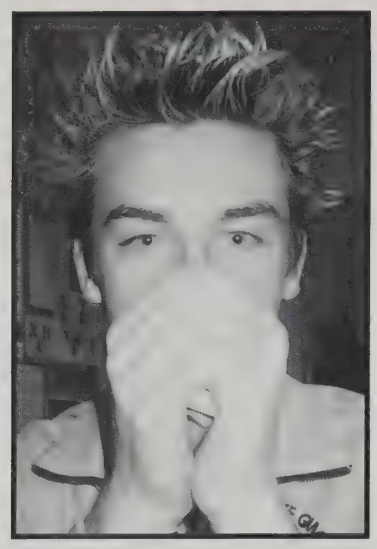
Joseph Kogut



Basketball 9-12, Captain 11, 12; Volleyball 9-12, Captain 12; Outdoor Track 9, 10; GSA 11, 12; Japanese Ambassador 10; Key Club 10-12; National Honor Society 11, 12.

Devin Handy
242 Lake Street
To be happy in the life that I live and to give others the education that was given to me
"Give thy thoughts no tongue." - William Shakespeare
Softball 9, 12; Swim 11-12; Chorus 9-12; Drama 9.

Jacob Harris
972 Newman Ave
To find a good college to do well in, to see the world and a Metallica concert
Football 12; Track 10-12.

Maura Elaine Hart
17 Meadowlark Drive
To live a fulfilling life and always remember to laugh
"Live so that you don't look back and regret that you've wasted your life. Live so you don't regret the things you have done or wish that you had acted differently. Live honestly and fully. Live." - Elizabeth Kübler-Ross
Field Hockey 9-12; Indoor Track 9-12; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Class Council 9, 10, 12, President 9, 10; French Honor Society 11, 12; German Exchange 11; HOBY Ambassador 10; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 9-12; National Honor Society 11, 12.

Kelley Hayes
25 Bearhill Road
To be happy and healthy
"Life is good." - S.R.G. (I miss you)
"What once was has passed, but what has passed is remembered and what is remembered will never be forgotten." - C.M.
"Tell people that you love them, otherwise you will regret it when they are gone."
Basketball Cheerleading 9; Competition Cheerleading 9; Indoor Track 10-12; Key Club 10; Newspaper 12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Volleyball 10-12.

Jenelle Deane Heberlein
174 Hebron Avenue
To live a happy and successful life
"There is only one thing for us to do, and that is to do our very best right where we are everyday of our lives; to use our best judgement, and then to trust the rest to that Power which holds the forces of the universe in his hand..." - Orison Sweet Marden
Swim 9-12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Creative Awareness 10, 11; German Exchange 9; Honor Roll 9-12; Key Club 11, 12; Mock Trial 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Science Club 9-12; Washington Trip 10.

Erin Dyan Heelan
20 Thompson Drive
To be successful in all my endeavors
"Life is a journey, not a destination and you just can't tell what tomorrow will bring." -Steven Tyler
"Get your mind set...confidence will lead you on." -Unknown
Field Hockey Manager 11, 12; Girls Basketball Manager 11, 12; Softball Manager 11, 12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Peer Mediation 11.

Stephen B. Heywood
183 Jean Drive
"Whoever is happy will make others happy too. He who has courage and faith will never perish in misery." -Anne Frank
"I like nonsense, it wakes up the brain cells. Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in living; it's a way of looking at life through the wrong end of a telescope, which is what I do, and that enables you to laugh at life's realities." -Dr. Seuss
Academic Excellence 9, 11, 12; Chorus 9-12; Creative Awareness 9-12; Drama Club 10-12; Independent Study 12; Japanese Ambassador 11; Key Club 10-12; Select Chorus 10-12; Trinity Ambassador 10-12, Chairperson 11, 12; Yearbook 12.

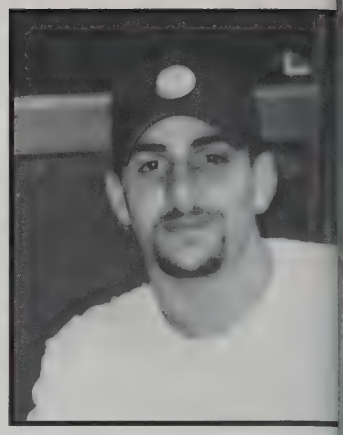
Jeffrey Hoague

Catherine Anne Holden
80 Stratford Road
To marry a doctor
"Girlfriends are so removable!!!" - Cathy Holden
"Ten Lemons go into a room, three come out." - Mike
Chorus 12; Honor Roll 9-12; Science Club 9; Softball 9-12; Swim 9.

Jonathan Edward Holden
175 Lake Street
To become a success, be happy
"Yeah right, if I leave a quote, where will this world end up?"
Basketball 9-12, Captain 12; Football 9, 11; Yearbook 12.

Rachelle Lynn Horton
85 Oak Hill Avenue
To be as successful as I can and to fulfill all my dreams
"To me the meanest flower that blooms can give thoughts that do often lie too deep for tears." - William Wordsworth
Field Hockey 9, 11, 12; Indoor Track 9, 11, 12; Tennis 9; Creative Awareness 9-12; Honor Roll 11, 12.

Rebecca Jean Horton
609 Arcade Avenue
To get a duel certification in Special Education/ Technology Education
"Believe nothing of what you hear, and half of what you see."
"Live your life to the fullest, and never look back!" -Roseann Mastropietro
"One to be honored is one who always carries on with traits of a leader, one who can be proud of their accomplishments, and never



be one step shy of taking on the next challenge!!" -RJH
Basketball 9-12; Cross Country 12, Captain 12; Softball 9-12; Academic Excellence 10-12; German Host 11; Germany Trip 12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; The Partnership Program 11, 12; Tutoring 11, 12; Who's Who in Academics 10; Who's Who in Sports 11.

Rebecca "Becboo" Laurel Horton
85 Oak Hill Avenue
To pursue a career in social work and enjoy it, to become famous, my free time
"Mine is the heart at your feet / Here, that must love you to live." -Swinburne
"Death in itself is nothing; but we fear to be we know not what, we know not where." -Dryden
Key Club 12; Tennis 9, 11, 12; Track 9; Volleyball 9.

Sharla Horton
250 Arcade Ave
To be successful at what I become
"Never say never." - Mrs. Perry
Cheerleading 9; Drama.

Dustin A. Humphrey
19 Howland Street
"We danced in graveyards with vampires till dawn, we laughed the faces of kings never afraid to burn." -Tori Amos
"These precious things, let them bleed, let them wash away. These precious things, let them break their hold over me." -Tori Amos
Academic Excellence 10, 11; Creative Awareness 9-12; Eighth Grade Camping Trip Chaperone 11, 12; Honor Roll 9-12; Newspaper 11; Science Fair 9; Washington Trip 11; Yearbook 11.

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Nicoli C. Ibello
341 Arcade Avenue
To go to a four-year college for social work, to get married and have two children
"You must love yourself before you can love someone else."

ɔu can do anything if you put
ır mind to it."
ɜt of luck to everyone in the
ss of 2000!
ɔercuts 11.

J

dsey Jablecki

ɔecca Claire Joiner
1 Oak Hill Avenue
ve these clay feet wings to fly/
touch the face of the stars." -
eena McKenna
here are times I feel so far/
m where I want to be/ But I
ɔw you've been there too/ And
v you're here with me." -
known
ɔrus 9-12; Creative Awareness
2; Drama Club 9; History Fair
Youth Alive 9-12.

ndan Jones

K

ndy Kam
Central Avenue
here are high spots in all of our
s, and most of them come
ough encouragement from
neone else." -George Adams
though the world is full of
fering, it is also full of the
rcoming of it." -Helen Keller
oor Track 9, 11, 12; Outdoor
ck 9, 11, 12; Japanese Ambas-
lor 10, 12; Science Club 11.

rey Kandarian
t Hercules himself do what he
y. The cat will mew, and the
g will have his day." - Hamlet
nd I'll become what you
came to me." - John Rzeznik
ama 9-12; Yearbook 10-12;
wspaper 10, 11; Massachusetts
ama Festival 9; Creative
areness 10-12; Key Club 9-12.

hley Kaplan
Bearhill Road
nd I walk in the air, between
rain, through myself and back
in, where? I don't know." -
unting Crows
n so tired, I can't sleep.

Standing on the edge of something much to deep. It's funny how we feel so much but cannot say a word, we are screaming inside and we can't be heard. And I will remember you!" -Sarah McLachlan
Indoor Track 9, 10; Outdoor Track 9; Varsity Soccer 9-12, Captain 10-12; Class Council 9-12; Drama 11, 12; Executive Board 11, 12, Chairperson 12; German Exchange 11, 12; GSA 11, 12; Japanese Exchange 10-12; Key Club 10; School Council 12.

Brian Richard Keenan
77 Fairway Drive
To keep working at my job, get my driver's license, and start my own business and my own family
Special Olympics - Track, Basketball.

Michael Richard Keenan
77 Fairway Drive
To keep working and making money
Special Olympics - Track and Field, Basketball.

Lauren Kenyon
45 St. Laurent Parkway
"I do not try to dance better than anyone else. I only try to dance better than myself." - Mikhail Baryshnikov
"Down deep in every soul is a hidden longing, impulse, and ambition to do something fine and enduring... if you are willing, great things are possible to you." - Greenville Kleiser
Creative Awareness 10-12; Drama Club 9-12; Drama Festival 9; Honor Roll 9-12; Key Club 9-12.

Sarah Elizabeth Kirchmann
59 Oakhill Ave
To be the best social worker I can through hard work, perseverance, and with the help of a little imagination
"We reach for our dreams because we know that dreams are the magic in our minds that cause very wonderful things to happen." -Unknown
Soccer 9, 10; Academic Excellence 9-12; Creative Awareness 10, 11; Key Club 11, 12; Math Team 9-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Peer Tutoring 11, 12; Science Club 9-12; SPEDPAC Liaison 11, 12; Superintendent's Student Forum 7-12.

Michael Alexander Kochanek
57 Perry Avenue
To become a state police officer
"The sun doesn't shine forever, so as long as we're here we should shine together."
Baseball 9-12; Basketball 9-11; Football 9, 10, 12.

Joseph Kogut

L

Stephen Lebeau

Jennifer Marie Leitao
171 Anthony Street
To be the best that I can be
"The way to love anything is to realize that it might be gone." - Gilbert Keith Chesterton
Indoor Track 9; Outdoor Track 9; Boys Soccer Manager 11; Chorus 10-12.

Stephanie Anne Leite
420 Chestnut Street
To live a story book life and be forever smilin'
Meme...my angel up above...I know you're looking down on me from heaven each and everyday, watching me with smiles and tons of love. I know you would be proud of me whether on heaven or on earth. I've grown up to be so much like you it's truly amazing. I LOVE YOU MEME, and always will.
Cross Country 9-11; Indoor Track 9; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Soccer 12; Softball 11, 12; Japanese Ambassador 10, 11; Key Club 9-11.

Anja Liebscher
24 Kenyon Drive
"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do, than by the ones you did. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor, catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream." - Mark Twain
LEO Club 12; Swim 12.

Teodora Maria Lima
44 Malta Street
To be successful in all the goals I set for myself and live life to the fullest
"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some people move our souls to dance. They awaken us to new understandings with the passing whisper of their wisdom. Some people make the sky more beautiful to gaze upon. They stay in our lives for awhile, and we are never, ever, the same."
Volleyball 9; Japanese Ambassador 11; Key Club 9.

Kevin Lofgren

Dustin George Loiselle
21 Hammond Street
To fulfill my life dream and become a happily married man with two beautiful children
"You live, you learn, you love, you learn, you cry, you learn, you lose, you learn." -Alanis Morrisette
"The greatest pain in life is not to die, but to simply be ignored by the people you love the most." - Unknown

Jennifer Leitao

Stephanie Leite

Anja Leibscher

Teodora Lima

Kevin Lofgren

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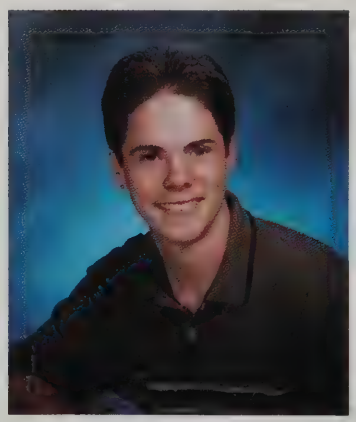
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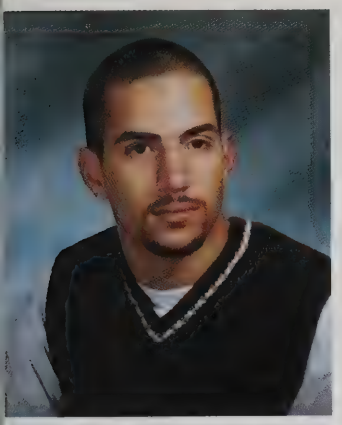
Abby Mulligan

Sarah Murphy

Krystal O'Hara

Brian Oliveira

Kelly Paterson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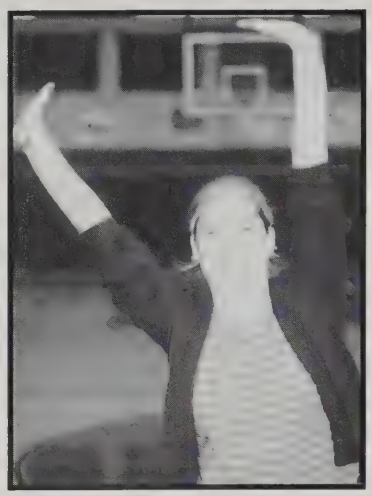

Basketball 9, 10; Football 9; Indoor Track 11, 12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Key Club 10-12; Washington Trip 10.

David Lopes

M

Joseph Anthony Mastropietro
349 Lincoln St.
To be an engineer or architect
"I always knew looking back at my tears would make me laugh, but I never knew looking back at my laughter would make me cry." –Anonymous.
Football 9, 12; Track 9, 10; Detention 9-12.

Matthew Paul McCartin
241 Oakhill Avenue
To all of my friends, it's been real I will never forget you guys and all of the memories we share. Thank you all for everything.
"If a man hasn't discovered something worth dying for, he isn't fit to live." –Martin Luther King Jr.
"I am me and you are you. I do my thing and you do yours, and in the end if we end up together, it's beautiful."
Indoor Track 10-12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Soccer 9-12, Captain 12; Creative Awareness 10, 11; Spirit Week 10, 11.

Elena McConnell
254 Jacob Street
To be wealthy in money, career, family, and heart
"What I must do is all that concerns me. Not what people think... it is easy to live after the world's own opinion; it's easy to live after your own, but the great man is the one who in the midst of the crowd keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude." – Emerson
Field Hockey 9; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Track 9.

Jessica McDonald

Derek Medeiros
49 Jane Howland Drive
To finally graduate and get out of high school
"Absolutely not!" –Jerky Boys

Terrance Monroe Jr.
9 James Street
To be successful, happy, and me
"I can only be me."
Drama 10; Football 9; Mock Trial 9-12; Soccer 10.

Glenn A. Morin Jr.
955 Newman Avenue
To be an AirForce pilot
"Just twice."
"Life is good."
"Beware of the Penguins."
"You only live once."
Football 9-12; Indoor Track 9-12; Outdoor Track 9-12.

Randy Moy
59 Brookfield Street
To be successful at whatever I do and never quit because if you don't push yourself, you'll never know
"If all else fails, immortality can always be assured by spectacular error." –John Kenneth Galbraith
"Can't forget Bobby, if I did, I'd feel gypped, like my sandwich ain't a sandwich without Miracle Whip." –Method Man
"It's not the size of the dog in the fight that matters, it's the size of the fight in the dog."
Basketball 9-12; Football 9; Outdoor Track 9-12; Key Club 9; PSA 9-12.

Robert T. Mullen III
77 Stratford Road
"Whatever doesn't kill me, only makes me stronger."
"God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference."
Key Club 10-12, Co-President 12; Cross Country 9-12; Indoor Track 9-12; Outdoor Track 9-12.

Abby Alden Mulligan
29 Apple Orchard Lane
"People won't remember what you said. People won't remember what you did. But they will always remember how you made them feel." – Anonymous
"I've always dreamt of a perfect ending to my existence. Now I've learned the hard way that some poems don't rhyme, and some stories don't have a clear beginning, middle, or end. Life is about not knowing, having to change, taking the moment, appreciating and making the best of it, without knowing what's going to happen next." – Unknown
Eighth Grade Camping Trip Chaperone 11, 12; Class Council 9-11; Executive Board 12; Field Hockey 9-12; GSA 11, 12; Honor Roll 9-12; Independent Study 12; Indoor Track 9, 10; Japanese Planning Committee 10-12; Key Club 9-12, Representative 9-10, Vice President 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Peer Mediation 10-12; School Committee 12; Science Club 9-12; Seekonk Writing Project 11, 12; Tutoring 11, 12.

Sarah Murphy
"After they had explored all the suns in the universe, and all the planets of all the suns, they realized that there was no other life in the universe, and that they were alone. And they were very happy, because then they knew it was up to them to become all t things they had imagined they would find." –Lanford Wilson, *of July*
"I mean, what, what if no one's watching? What if when we're dead, we're just dead? What if it's just us down here? What if God ain't looking down? What he's looking up instead? What there's no time to lose? What i there's things we gotta do, thin that need to be said? Say what we need to say, 'cause if you're not trying to make something better as far as I can tell you're just in the way." –Ani DiFranco, "What if No One's Watching"
Thespian Antics 9-12; Bickford' permanently; GSA 9-12; Field Hockey 9; Student Government

Kelli Ann Murtha
21 Grace Court
"A little nonsense now and ther is cherished by the wisest men."
"Stop pacing the aisles and counting the miles. Instead, climb more mountains, eat mor ice cream, go barefoot more often, swim more rivers, watch more sunsets, laugh more, cry less. Life must be lived as we g along." – Robert J Hastings
"Life is too important to be tak seriously." – Oscar Wilde
Class Council 9-12; Executive Board Representative 12; Field Hockey 9-12, Captain 12; Baske ball 9-12, Captain 12; Track 9-1 Key Club 9-12; Yearbook 12; Health Advisory 9, 10; Colby Ambassador 10; Japanese Ambassador 10, 12; DARE Role Model 11, 12; Honor Roll 10-12 Washington Trip 10; Independe Study 12.

O

Krystal Lee O'Hara
25 Kemper Street
"Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you will die today." – James Dean
"In all things it is better to hop than to dispair." – Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe

n Paul Oliveira
agamore Road
ıly regret that I have but one
to give for my country." -
ıan Hale, 1776
ı will shine no matter what I
sunshine's bright now with
..what a wonderful thing for
to do... touch my heart,
h me through..." -Dave
hews Band, "After Her"
or Track 9; Soccer 9, 11, 12;
his 9; Academic Excellence 1-
shop Feehan 10; Creative
reness 11, 12; Drama Club
12; Pride Day 11, 12; Super-
3rd Place 11; Washington
10, 11.

P

y Patterson
Varren Avenue
e a photographer
rish your vision; cherish your
s; cherish the music that stirs
our heart, the beauty that
ıs in your mind, the loveli-
that drapes your purest
ghts. If you remain true to
ı, your world will at last be
." -James Allen

rea Pereira
ee Jay Drive
o to college, become a
legal, and hopefully further
career, as a lawyer, and own
own law firm
ve often heard of adults speak
fe being hard, decisions
cult, and experiences being
changing. This year I learned
nyself what they meant. At
nteen years old I lived
ugh the darkest and hardest
s I could ever imagine- but
gave me strength! And my
riences this year have
ıged my life forever- but God
me peace everlasting! I am
kful for my parents, family
my best friend Diane for
porting and loving me; and I
orever grateful to God for
ving me that "I can do all
gs through Christ which
ngthens me." - Philippians

etball Cheerleading 11;
ball Cheerleading 11.

Abel Pereira, Jr.

Jessica Ilene Perlman
14 Haig Avenue
To pursue my career in writing
"Love we say is life; but love without hope and faith is agonizing Death." -Elbert Green Hubbard
Chorus 11, 12.

Annette Perry
285 Greenwood Avenue
To be successful with all that I do in life
Basketball Cheerleading 11, 12; Football Cheerleading 10-12, Captain 12.

Kristina Lee Perry
304 Cole Street
To be successful in the arts (Singing or acting)
"You can't just visualize and then go eat a sandwich." -Jim Carey
Chorus 9-12; Drama 9-12.

Kyle L. Peterson
50 Sunset Drive
"Genius begins great works; labor alone finishes them." -Joseph Joubert
"Sometimes, even liars tell the truth." - Moses ibn Ezra
Cross Country 10-12; Indoor Track 9-12; Tennis 9-12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Creative Awareness 9, 10, 12; Key Club 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Science Club 12; Tutoring 11, 12.

Patricia Lynn Pickett
14 Elmdale Street
To live a healthy and happy life and have no regrets
"The things you fear are undefeatable, not by their nature, but by your approach." -Jewel Kilcher
"Some people just come through our lives to give us something, a gift, a blessing, a lesson we need to learn, and that's why they're here." -Danielle Steel
Eighth Grade Camping Trip Chaperone 12; Executive Board 12; Honor Roll 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10; Key Club 9-12, President 11, Co-President 12; Math Team 9-12; Newspaper 10, 11; Student Forum 9-12; Volleyball 9; Yearbook 10-12, Editor 11, Editor-in-Chief 12.

Ashley Marie Pietrunti
15 Willard Avenue
To fulfill my dreams and be successful in everything I do
"Memory is not just the imprint of the past upon us; it is the keeper of what is meaningful for our deepest hopes and fears." - Rolo May
"Good friendships are fragile things and require as much care as any other fragile and precious things." -Randolph Bourne
Basketball Cheerleading 9-11; Football Cheerleading 9, 10; Competition Cheerleading 9, 10; Spirit Week 9-12; Yearbook 12; Washington Trip 10.

Jennifer Leigh Pimental
22 Talbot Way
To be successful in whatever I choose to do
"Pride is doing your best even when no one else is watching."
Field Hockey 9; Japanese Ambassador 10, 11; Eighth Grade Leader 10; Dual Enrollment 12; Creative Awareness 9, 10; Science Fair 9.

Corinne Renee Poirier
195 Fall River Avenue
To lead a life full of smiles and happiness and have an everlasting marriage
"My love is all I have to give."
"Don't let fear stand in the way of your dreams ~ even if your wildest dream is your biggest fear."
Indoor Track 9-10; Outdoor Track 9-10; Soccer 10-12; Tennis 11; Volleyball 9; Japanese Exchange 10-12; Key Club 9-12, Secretary 11; Science Club 10-12; Washington D.C. 10; Freshman Orientation Leader; Yearbook 12

Brent Poliquin
7 Springview Court
"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sail. Explore. Dream. Discover." -Mark Twain
"Once in a while you get shown to the light in the strangest of places, if you look at night." - Jerry Garcia
Indoor Track 9-12; Soccer 11, 12; Tennis 9-12; French Honor Society 10-12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12; Key Club 10-12; Math Team 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Tutor 11, 12; DARE Role Model 11,12.

Shane Pollock
I hope that I succeed in life
Tri-County Football 9.

Jessica Nicole Pombo
9 Arthur Street
"You gain strength, courage, and confidence by every experience which you really stop to look fear in the face. You are able to say to

Shanna Poole

Vanessa Ralph

Beth Reitman

Jonathan Resendes

Taylor Rickard

Rebecca Ring

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Dacia Silva

Daniel Silverman

Kimberly Smith

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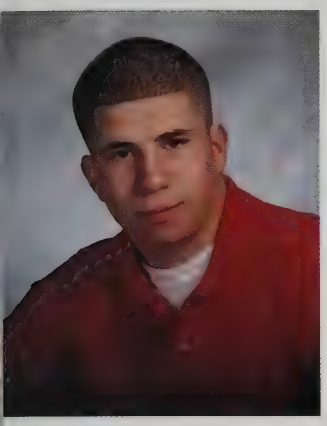
William Smith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Matthew Weaver

Robert Welch

Stephen Williams, Jr.

Carmel Wills

yourself 'I lived through this horror. I can take the next thing that comes along.' " -Eleanor Roosevelt
Indoor Track 9, 10; Outdoor Track 10; Softball 9; Volleyball 10; Honor Roll 9; Key Club 10, 11.

Shanna Lee Poole
64 School Street
To be successful
Chorus 9-12; Swim 9.

R

Vanessa Lindsay Ralph
402 County Street
To pursue a career in dramatic arts
"Be courageous and be brave, in my heart you shall remain forever young." - Bob Dylan
"If you believe in yourself and know what you want you're gonna make it happen." - Mariah Carey
Drama 10-12; Chorus 10-12; Cheerleading 10.

Beth Ann Reitman
9 Birch Street
"Life is good." - Scott Gorham (I miss you.)
"Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart." -Anonymous
Basketball 9; Indoor Track 10-12; Outdoor Track 9-12; Volleyball 9-12; Key Club 9,12; Yearbook 12.

Jonathan Resendes

Taylor Ryan Rickard
10 Loch Lomond Road
"You were born with wings. Why do you prefer to crawl through life?" -Rumi
"A best friend is a single soul dwelling in two bodies." -Mary Higgins Clark
Football Cheerleading 12; Basketball Cheerleading 9-12; Competition Cheerleading 9-12.

Rebecca Ring

Jason Robert Rogers, Jr. "j"
104 Prospect Street
To find truth
"I never can feel certain of any truth but from a clear perception of its beauty." -John Keats
"Now this is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning." -Winston Churchill
Soccer 9-12; Tennis 10-12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Band 10, 11; Creative Awareness 9, 11; French Honor Society 12; Gay/Straight Alliance 11, 12; Jazz Band 11, 12; Key Club 9-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Peer Mediation 11, 12; Ski and Snowboard Club 12, President 12; Spanish Honor Society 10-12.

S

Adam Saleeba

Matthew Salvail
37 Cherry Hill Drive
"I did it whiffle ball bat, so I'm on the run, the cop got my gun, and right about now it's time to have some fun." -Beastie Boys

Eva Schindler
360 Brown Avenue
To be successful, live life to the fullest and have a lot of fun
"'La terre est bleue comme une orange' she said 'and that's why I wish for three things: The calmness to accept everything I cannot change; The strength to change what is no longer bearable; and the wisdom to distinguish one from the other.'"
Volleyball 12.

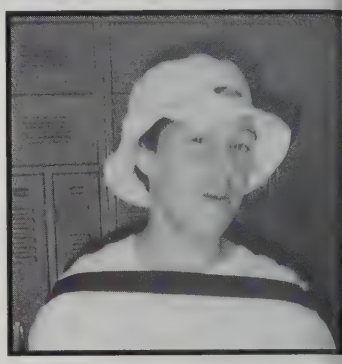
Sara Elizabeth Schobel
65 Elm Street
To be happy and successful in life
Soccer 10; Softball 9; Soccer 11, 12; Tennis 10-12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Creative Awareness 10-12; Independent Study 12; Key Club 10-12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 12.

Aaron Shute

Dacia Lyn Silva
26 Luther Street
I'd like to get my bachelor's degree in Social Work and my master's degree in Psychology
"We read that we ought to forgive our enemies, but we do not read that we ought to forgive our friends." -Bacon
Chorus 9, 10; Key Club 12; Peer Mediation 11.

Dan Silverman
63 Fieldwood Avenue
To make a lot of money
"This is not the end; it is only the beginning of life." - Dan
Baseball 9-12; Band 9, 10.

Christine Anne Sloyer
21 Redwood Lane
"We are made to persist. That's how we find out who we are." - T.W.
" This is the time to remember, 'cause it will not last forever. These are the days to hold on to, 'cause we won't, although we'll want to. This is the time, but time is gonna change." -Billy Joel
Class Council 10-12, Treasurer 10, 11; Creative Awareness 10-12; France Trip 10; Indoor Track 9; Japanese Exchange 10; Key Club 10-12; LEO Club 12, Officer 12; Outdoor Track 9, 10; Peer Mediation 10-12; Student Forum



7-12, Secretary 10, 11; Volleybal 9-12; Yearbook 11, 12, Business Manager 12; DARE Role Model 1 12.

Kimberly Anne Smith
44 Barberry Drive
To be a dental hygienist

William Smith
104 Foch Avenue
"Good times...." - German Exchange Girls
"No sleep till Brooklyn." - Beasti Boys (For Sarah, Luke, and the German girls.)
Drama 11, 12; German Exchang 11, 12; Indoor Track 9, 11; LEO Club 12; Soccer 9-12; Washingto Trip.

Philip Anthony Sousa Jr.
254 North Wheaton Avenue
To succeed at whatever I choos and to live life to the fullest extent possible
"Never give up, PERIOD." -MJ
Baseball.

Joshua M. St. Germain
59 Watson Street
To produce my own and others' music, to help the great unknov musicians be heard and acknow edged
"It is true musical justice when the love one has writing and playing music feeds into the lov one has listening to it." -Candir
Tennis 10-12.

Amy Storey
To be happy in whatever I do ar to prove to everyone I'm not as stupid as they think I am
"Only God can judge me."
"I always knew that when I'd lo back on the times I cried, I'd

h, but I never knew that
n I looked back on the times
ughed, I'd cry."
n't stand in front of me, for I
not follow. Don't stand
de me, for I may not lead.
stand beside me, and be my
d."
na 12; Key Club 12.

i Anne Sullivan
tain springs are tapped only
n we are alone." - Anne
row Lindburgh
down, life sucks." - Bumper
er
etball 11, 12; Field Hockey 9-
requent Flyers 9-12; GSA 11,
aturday Detention 9-12.

T

ela M. Tamburro
Newman Avenue
mbrace each day with a
ion, face my challenges, and
w my heart
lay is the time to live -
erday is gone and tomorrow
bring new challenges. Don't
e sun set without making
y worthwhile."
can't change the direction of
vind, so we must adjust our
s."
s Council 9, Representative 9;
rus 9-12; Japanese Ambassa-
10-12; Key Club 11, 12;
er 10-12; Softball 9, 10;
is 11, 12.

ssa Tameo
Woodward Avenue
the world is a stage, and all
men and women merely
ers. They have their exits
their entrances, and one man
s time plays many parts." -
am Shakespeare
ve never wished to cater to
rowd; for what I know they
ot approve, and what they
ove I do not know." -
urius

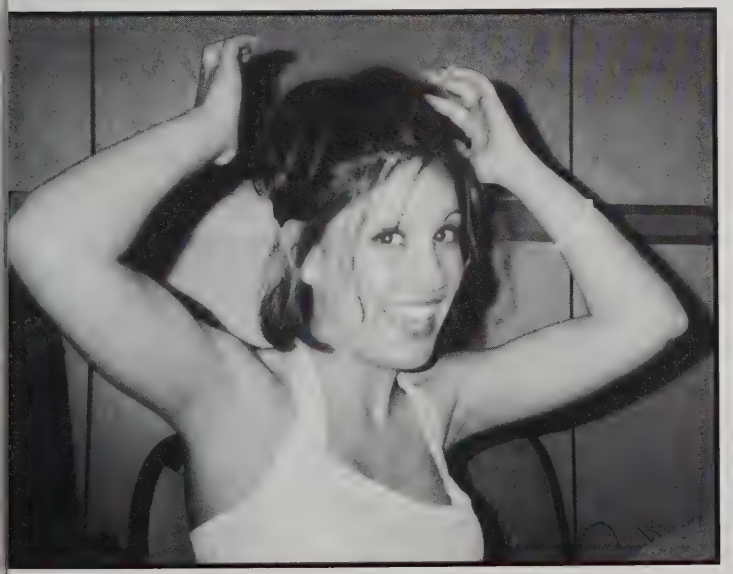
"Always happy, never sad. Sometimes naughty, but never bad."
Field Hockey 9; Key Club 9; Mock Trial 9-12; Drama 9, 10; Trinity Ambassador 11, 12; Washington Trip 10; Japanese Exchange 11, 12; Papercuts Editor 10; Independent Study 12; Newspaper 12.

James Tavares
80 Bradley Street
To make the one person in the world least likely to laugh, laugh. Heck, I'd settle for a smirk
"How about a 'designated 11 o'clock *The Price Is Right* viewing time'. Well, that's not funny. No one is going to laugh." -Melissa A. Duarte
Class Council 12; Drama 12.

Timothy Allan Taylor
55 West River Street
I want to go to college to learn a lot, then get a great high-paying job.
"Do something in life that you can look back upon and be proud of, it only takes a second to die, but a lifetime to live."
Indoor Track 9, 10, 12; LEO Club 12; Soccer 9-11; Tennis 9-12; Key Club 12; Yearbook 12.

Andrea Jane Tepolt
89 Meadowlark Drive
"You never lose by loving. You always lose by holding back." - Barbara DeAngelis
"Having a dream isn't stupid, Norm. It's not having a dream that's stupid." -Cliff Clavin, Cheers
Field Hockey 10-12; Indoor Track 11, 12; German Exchange 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 11, 12; Key Club 11, 12; Peer Mediation 10; Science Club 11, 12; Student Council 11.

Jasmine Vanessa Tirado
37 Wagonwheel Road
"This world is a comedy to those that think, a tragedy to those that feel." -Horace Walpole
"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm." -Ralph Waldo Emerson
Basketball Cheerleading 9-12, Captain 12; Football Cheerleading 9-12, Captain 12; Academic Excellence 9-12; Creative Awareness 10; Honor Roll 9-12; Japanese Ambassador 10-12; Newspaper 11; Peer Mediation 10-12; Spirit Week 9-12; Science Fair 9; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 11.



Thomas Toppin
44 Bittersweet Drive
To become an electrician
"Oh, can I get a hell yea!" - Stone Cold
Baseball 9-12; Basketball 9-12; Football 9.

V

Daniel Valente

Beth Ann Varone
117 Mohawk Drive
"You gain strength, courage, and confidence by every experience which you really stop to look fear in the face. You are able to say to yourself, ' I lived through this horror.' I can take the next thing that comes along." -Eleanor Roosevelt
"Enjoy yourself. These are the good old days you're going to miss in the years ahead." - Anonymous
Field Hockey 9; Indoor Track 9-12, Captain 11, 12; Softball 9-12; Academic Excellence 9, 10, 12; Independent Study 12; Japanese Exchange 10-12; Key Club 11, 12; Washington Trip 10.

Justin Viveiros

W

Matt Weaver

Robert F. Welch
123 Jean Drive
"Far better it is to dare mighty things, to win glorious triumphs, even though checkered by failure, than to rank with those poor spirits who neither enjoy nor suffer much, because they live in the gray twilight that learns not victory or defeat." - Theodore Roosevelt
"Life is too important to be taken seriously." - Oscar Wilde
Baseball 9; Creative Awareness 9-12; Cross Country 9-12, Captain 12; Honor Roll 9-12; Independent Study 12; Indoor Track 10-12, Captain 12; Japanese Exchange 10-12; Key Club 11, 12; LEO Club 12; National Honor Society 11, 12, Vice President 12; Newspaper 11; Outdoor Track 10-12, Captain 12; Science Club 9-12; Spirit Week 9-12; Swim 9; Washington Trip 10; Yearbook 11, 12, Editor 11, 12.

Stephen Brian Williams, Jr.
112 Ledge Road
To go into advertising and restaurant and hotel management
"Live life to the fullest, make life a party!" -Me
Congressional Art Competition for High School Students; Papercuts.

Carmel Lorraine Wills
60 Back Street
To pursue wisdom, righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, gentleness, to fight the good fight, to finish the race, to have kept the faith, live, love, learn, and be
"Those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not be weak." -Isaiah 40:31.
Field Hockey 9-12; Basketball 9-12, Captain 12; Softball 9-12, Captain 12; HOBY Leadership Workshop 10; National Honor Society 11, 12.

what have we learned?

We speak now with authority,
through memories molded with precision
of our first tastes of life
...and what have we learned?

another day
another year
another smile
another tear

The sun is most magnificent when it sets,
and we trail the path of this golden flame
as it passes below the horizon,
Reflecting over our sea of dreams
with carefully constructed images
of laughter
of peace
of healing
and release,
Burning remnants into these times,
Etching permanence into these eyes.

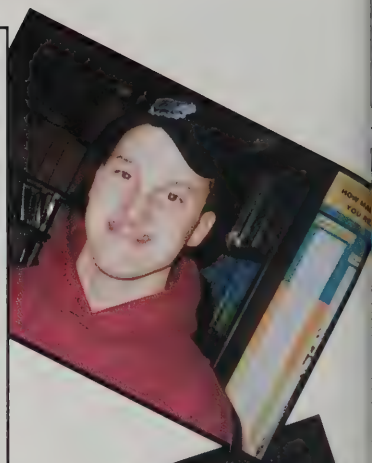
We are everything that we have embarked upon,
the things we never thought we'd do
the places we never thought we'd go
the people we never thought we'd be.

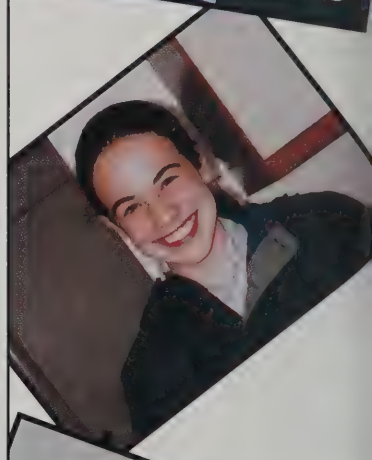
In the end we played the cards
with flowing ease,
danced with a carefree passion,
held tight, let go,
our undying faith for show
in the grand finale of our youth.

So, what have we learned?
To never regret
To never forget
To never let a moment fall from our grasp.

And knowing how many more miles
we possess under our wings,
we carry on with the lasting embers
of this lively sunset.

~Shannon Halpin~





A Song for "2000"

Here we are together
but this time, it's our last
our "endless" days at SHS
have come and gone too fast

we've pondered on this moment
so long since junior high
yet, we never realized these aged walls
are where we learned to fly

We never did acknowledge
that through each identity
We helped to mold each other
to the men we hope to be

We've built our aspirations
in the comfort of these halls
now, united in our youthful fears
together we stand tall

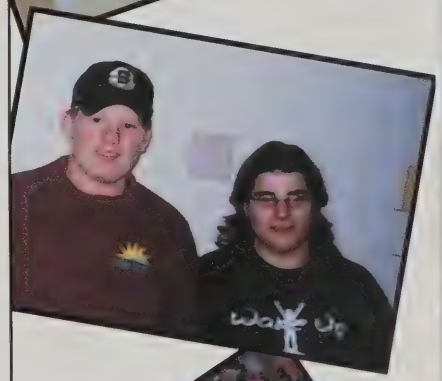
Though the halls which lie ahead
are not as friendly and naïve
We have memories to reflect on
and the mindsets to achieve

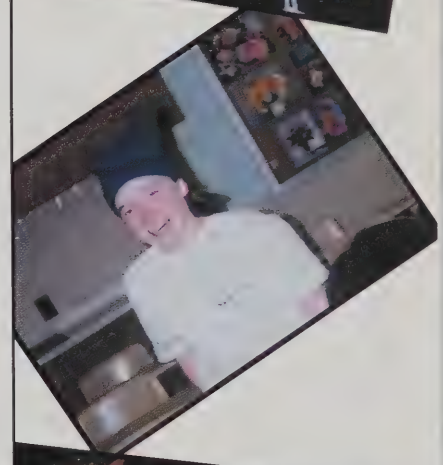
As we stand before today
which yesterday was our tomorrow
The laughter and tears of these four years
rejuvenate our sorrow

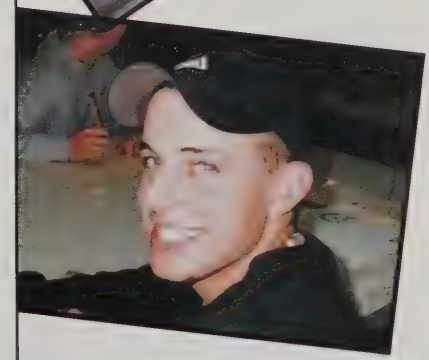
One last glance, one more goodbye,
one last familiar smile
We share history, we're family
I'll see you in a while

Our final time together
but don't overlook the sun
We're the Class of 2000
We've only just begun

~Angel Gomes~







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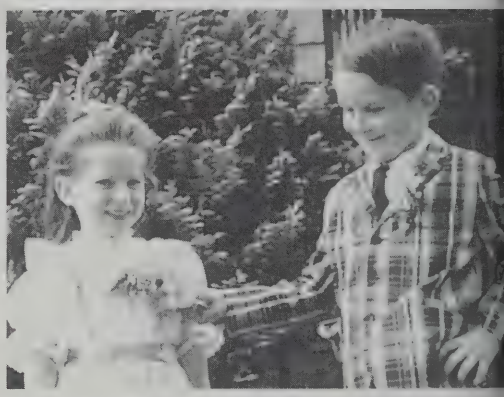

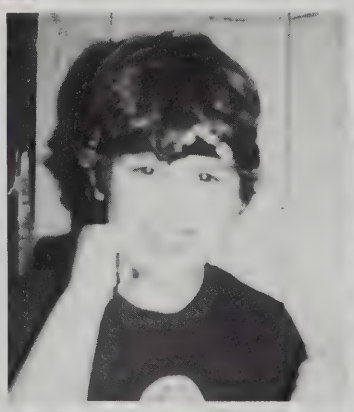

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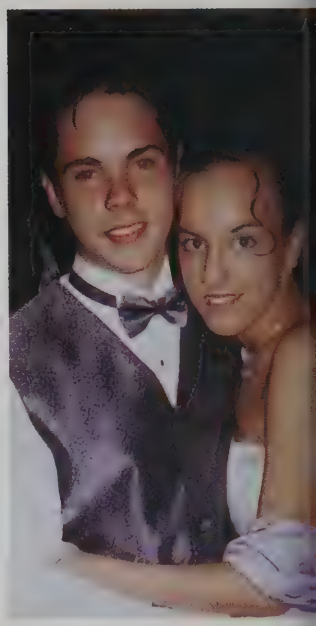
"The way you look tonight..."

-Tony Bennett

A Night to Remember

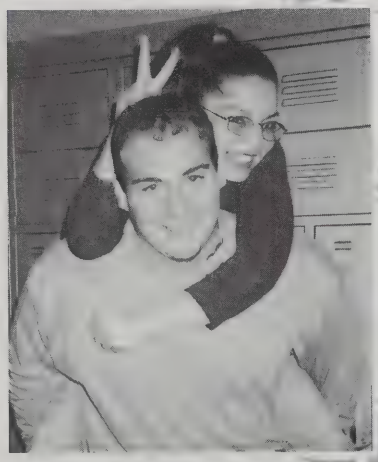
"Junior Prom" - those words struck frenzy, anticipation, and even some fear into our minds. It took several months of careful planning, date-shopping, and finding the perfect dress for such an overwhelming event. May 21, 1999, arrived a little too early for some. Despite some sketchy feelings towards the "truck stop" prom, the night was a tremendous success. Leaving our limo drivers to their coffee and cigarettes, we headed inside White's of Westport. Following our arrival, we took pictures and many of us hit the buffet lines for pasta and salad. Once our appetites were satisfied, we crowded onto the dance floor to get down to some slammin' beats from DJ Meatball. After much anticipation, the prom court was finally announced. The court consisted of Maura Hart and Ryan Fletcher, Carol Geddes and Brent Poliquin, Maribeth Byrne and Robert Welch, and Andrea Tepolt and Dan Silverman. Jeff Chakouian and Kelli Murtha were crowned king and queen. It was a night that we will never forget.



May 21, 1999

freshman year

New to SHS, we are the last class to get pinballed…BMF commando take to the halls of Seekonk…Wu Tang forever…Rob and Abby ar King and Queen…We win Spirit Week??…Tupac is shot…Footbal team wins a game…We almost lose our sports…*Romeo & Juliet* an *Independence Day* rule the cinemas…"No diggity" is, no doub overplayed…Hockey team gets the stick…The Unabomber i arrested…The Drama Club's single performance of its play starts a uproar among the teachers…Outdoor track has a brawl wit Wareham…Tickle-Me-Elmo incites riots at the to stores…A roof leak??? At Seekonk High School?? No Never…



junior year

As college anxiety begins to set in, reality hits us in the face…We take t PSATs in October…We get our licenses, but cruise around solo because the new "Passenger Law"…The nation gets grossed out by the details of t Starr Report…The girls swim team goes undefeated… Jeff and Kim g Homecoming King and Queen, and we all suffer a downpour at t game…A hit-and-run milk truck starts a gas leak and we all get herded the junior high…Our Hell-ish hallway causes us to LOSE Spirit Week…O class council faces a fundraising crisis and we almost lose our prom…Ch becomes our school's first National Champ in indoor shot put…*Ther Something About Mary* makes us laugh 'til we cry…We all question t freshmen girls' N'Sync obsession…Y2K hysteria sets in…Certain members of New Kids on the Blo go solo and take us back to our youth…Drama puts on *The Wiz*, and the Cowardly Lion steals the show… Our Junior Prom is at White's and we all bust a move (was that Mrs. Simpson dancing?!)…Chaq and Murtha are King and Queen…The *Bottomless Cup* and the *Lady's Man* make the teachers recoil in disgust and we lose our Pride Days FOREVER…We cry for the students at Colombine High… The first Superman Pageant is a success, with Cripp as emcee…Boys outdoor track goes undefeated, again (and again)… Ricky Martin and Brittney Spears induce our gag reflexes with their overplayed songs… James livens up the student elections with his hilarious speech… There are buckets-a-plenty upstairs as Niagra Falls is reenacted at Seekonk… We say goodbye to another group of seniors, and get ready to fill their shoes…

sophomore year

We come back older and wiser, or so we think...We crown Chrissy and Josh for Homecoming, without our rally...User fees go through the roof...First girls soccer team takes to the field...Drama belts out *Grease* to sold-out crowds...Math field trip to *Good Will Hunting*!?...How many times did you see *Titanic*?...We say good-bye to Princess Di and Mother Teresa...Chaq starts his rise to track & field glory and Shane gets knocked out in the process..."Checkpoint Charlie" is a very militant new edition to hall monitoring...E coli in our water system makes us turn to the bottle, Evian that is!...We laugh and cry as we lose *Seinfield* and Chris Farley...Is that a Hanson t-shirt I see, or are you Spice Girl wannabe...Pride becomes the school's first iority...Some say bonjour! And off to Paris they go!...Jesus ves us as we kick it with Woody in D.C...Some go with Dr.G Germany...Bare shoulders become "inappropriate" as the ank top police" take to the halls... Boys outdoor track goes ndefeated, again...El Nino drenches us with rain...And the ownpour continues, through the halls upstairs...

senior year

We return bigger and better, ready to attack our senior year from all angles... right off the bat, the girls get wrangled for their "obscene" bare shoulders: What exactly *is* a tanktop, Dr. G?... We miss a day of school because of wimpy Hurricane Floyd... The absence of user fees has the athletes doing cart-wheels... Our young football team challenges DR at its Jamboree... The administration kills Saturday Detention, much to our relief... Periods 1, 2, 3, and 4 become A, B, C, and D... *The Blair Witch Project* makes us all petrified of the dark... The Backstreet Boys' catchy tune has some serious backlash: Who *really* wants it that way?! ... The college search is on as we all live in Guidance...Kelley and Brian are Home-coming King and Queen.... Drama puts on *The Nifty Fifties*... We dance the night away at our Senior Supper... The College Search begins to wind down... We get all decked out for our Senior Prom, a night to remember at the Regatta in Newport... We all hold hands for the last time at graduation, the first class of the new millennium, and begin to learn how to face reality alone...Life's changing for us, but the leaky roof lives on.

By Courtney Denelle and Ashley Kaplan

Senior Superlatives

Most School Spirit

Dustin Loiselle

&

Annette Perry

Most Likely to Succeed

James Tavares

&

Carol Geddes

Life of the Party

Billy Blinn

&

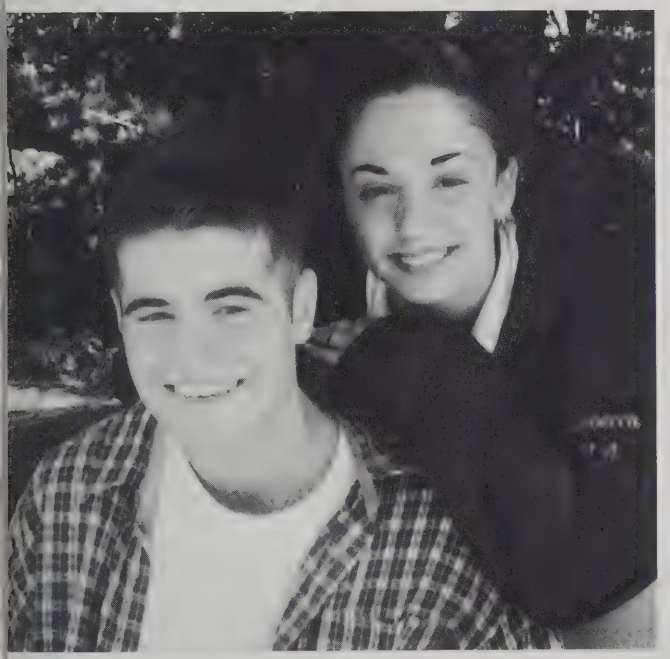
Julie DaSilva

Most Artistic

Rob Dunn

&

Kelley Crowley



Friendliest

Jimmy Appleton

&

Rebecca Cordeiro

Class Clown

Joe Mastropietro

&

Kerri Sullivan

Most Athletic

Jeff Chakouian

&

Kelli Murtha

Typical Senio

Dave Boisvert

&

Chrissy Sloyer

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Kim Alarie

Most Unique

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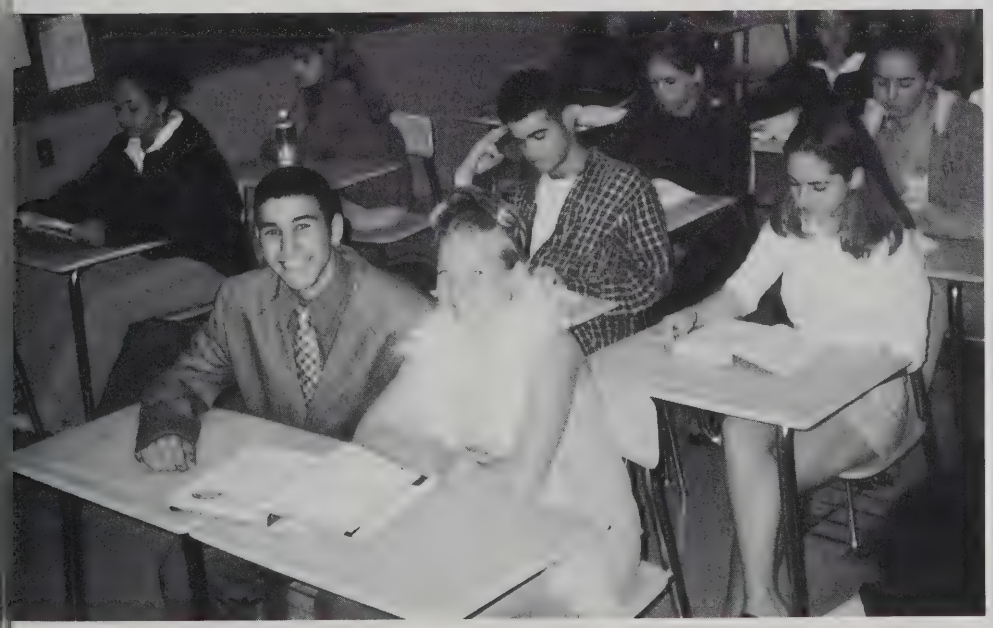


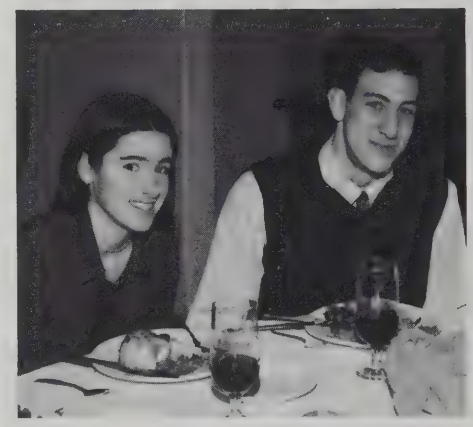
Best Dressed

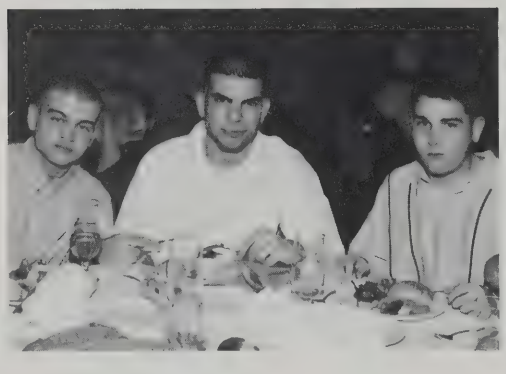
Brian Oliveira

&

Casey Cetenich

senior





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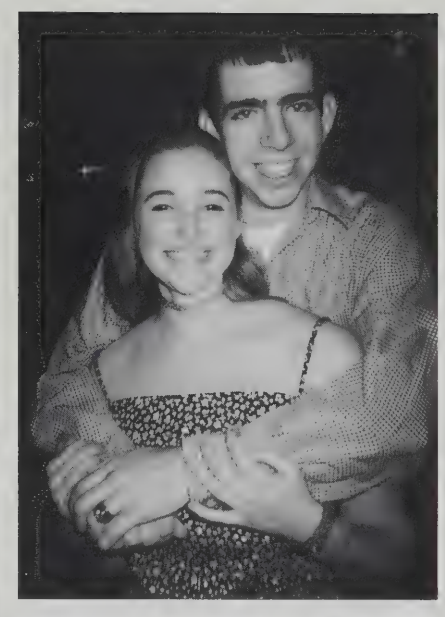

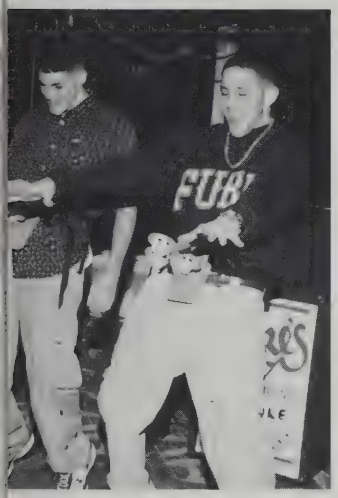

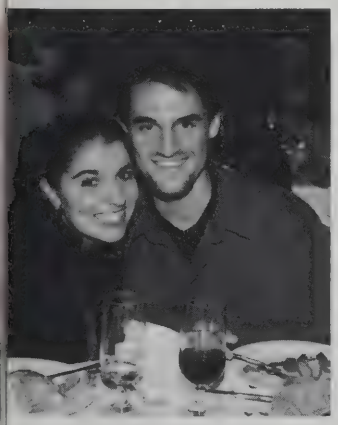

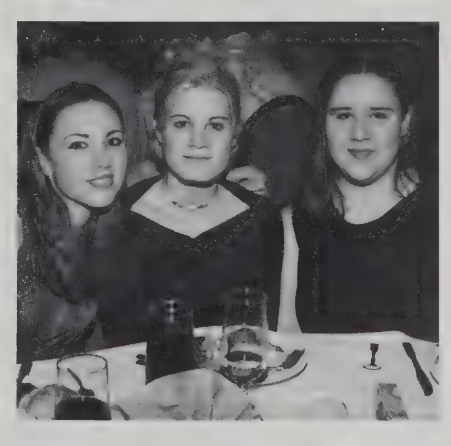

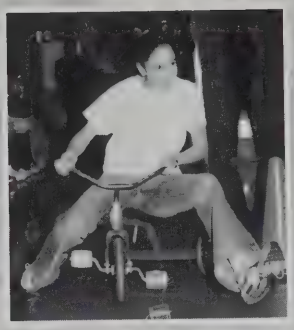

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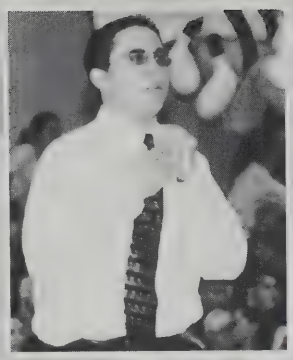

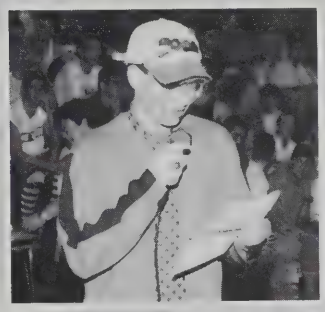

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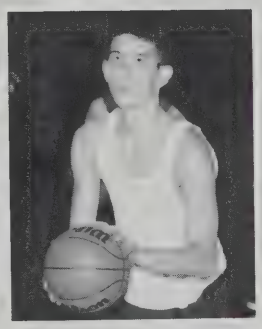

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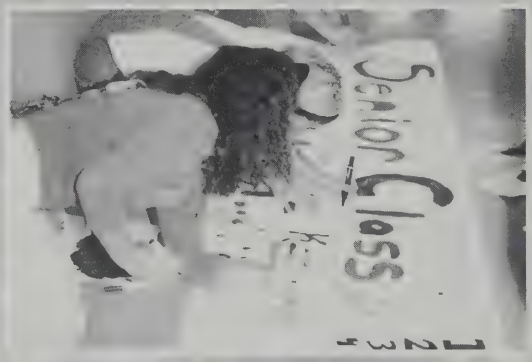

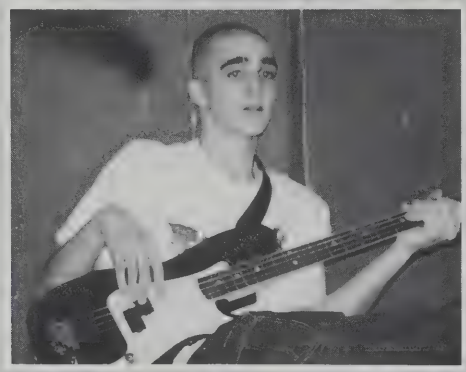

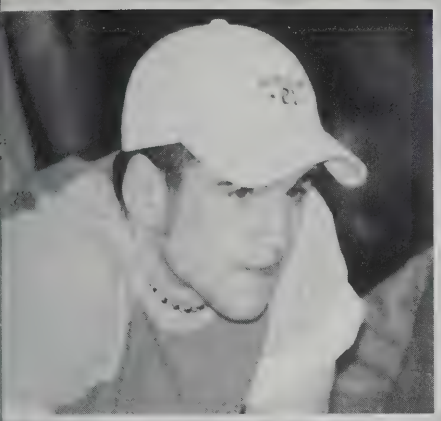

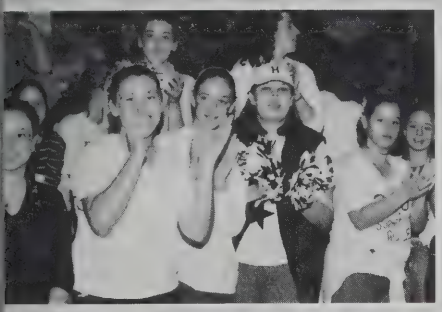

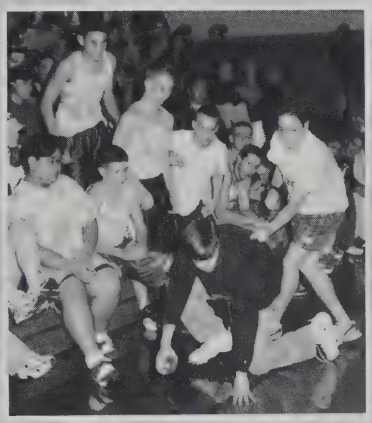

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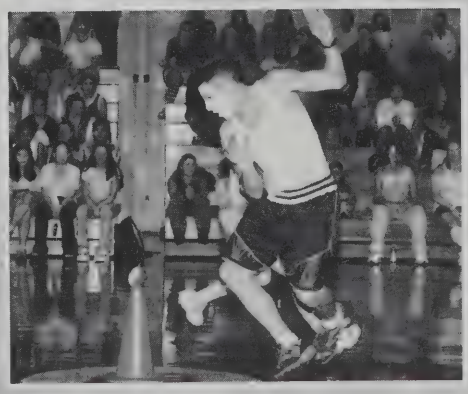

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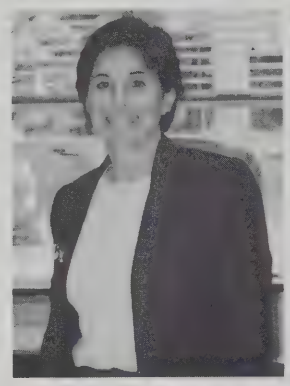

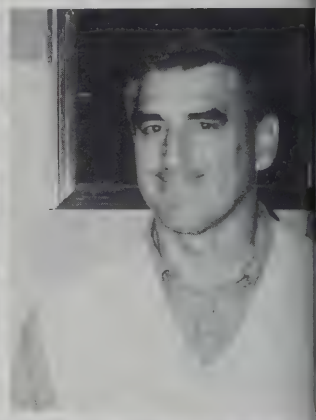

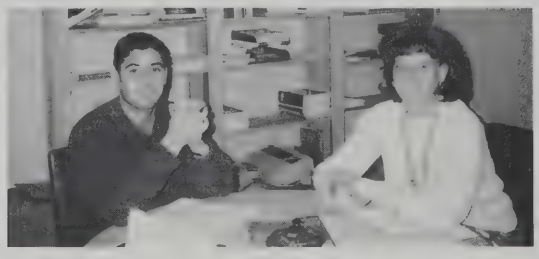

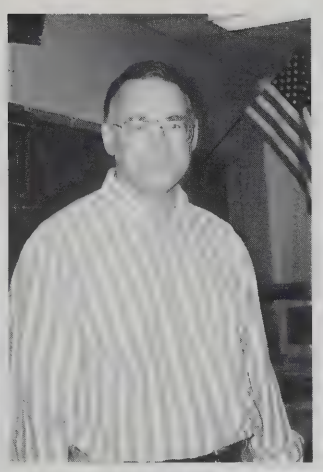
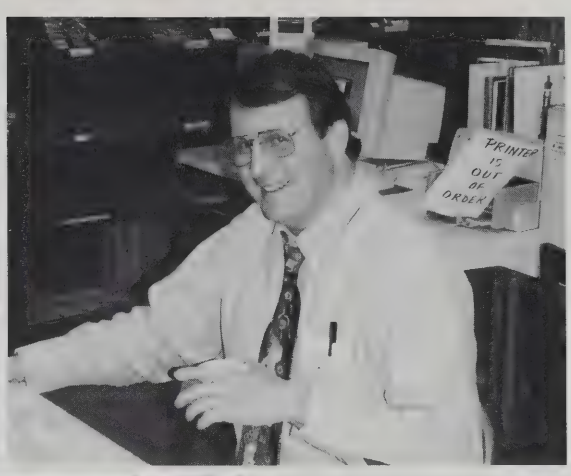

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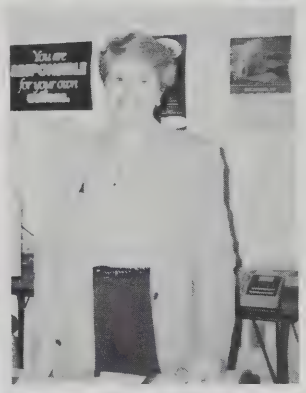

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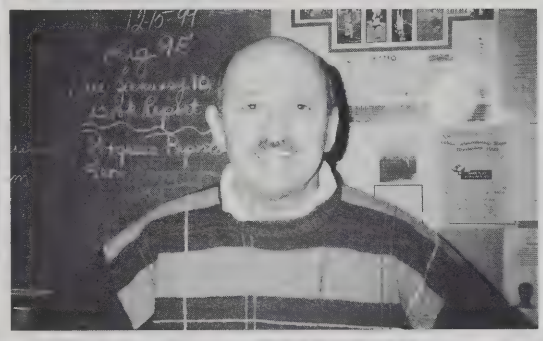

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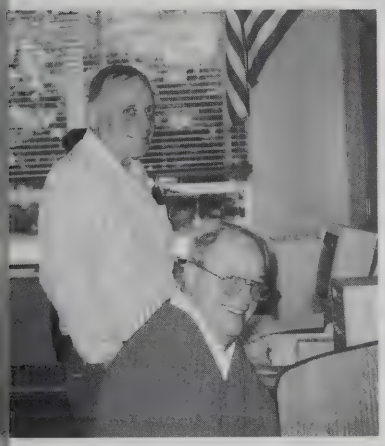

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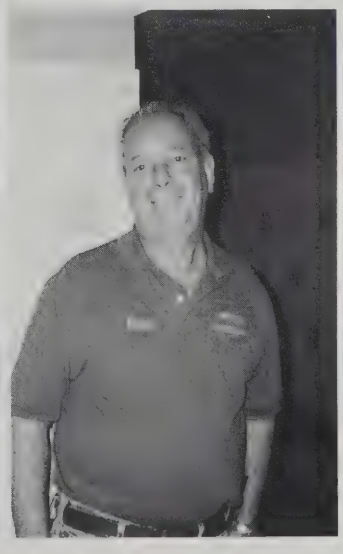

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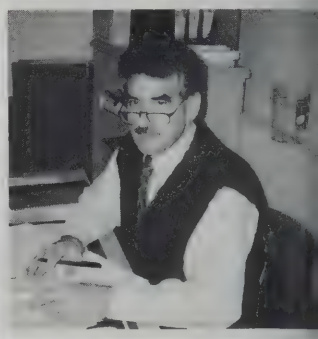
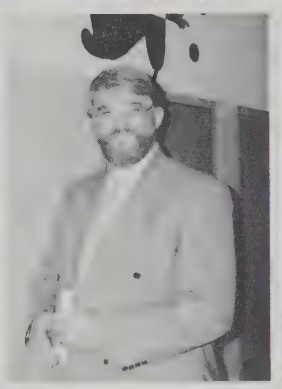
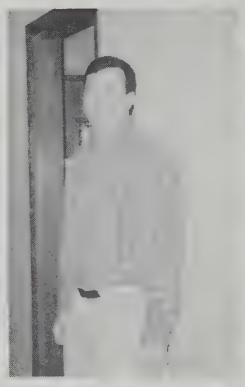

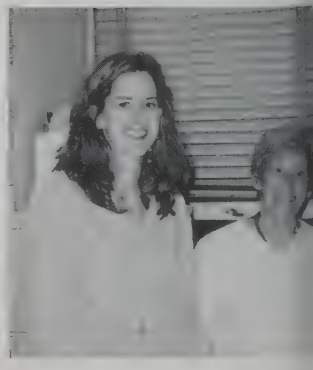

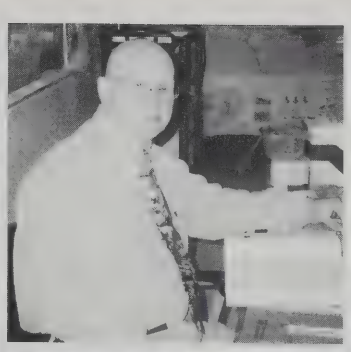

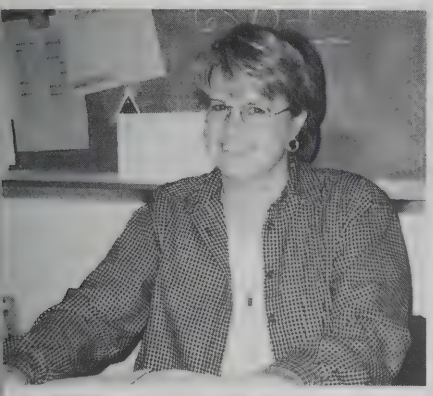
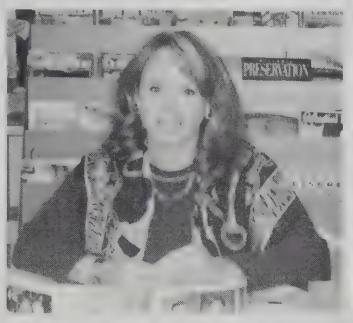

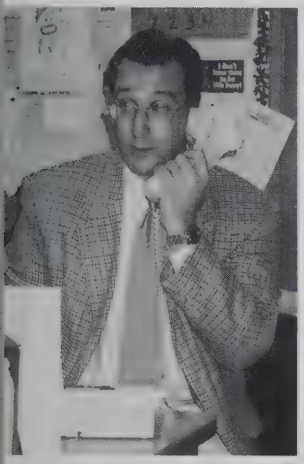

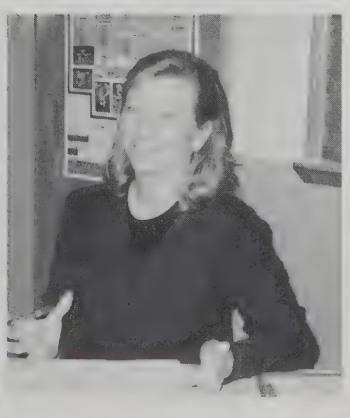

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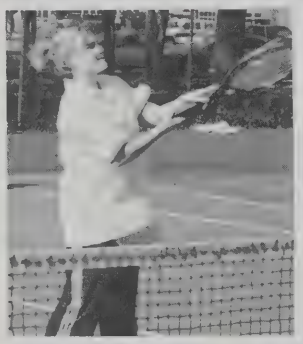
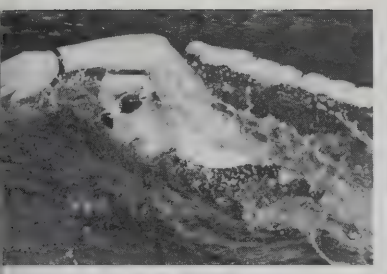
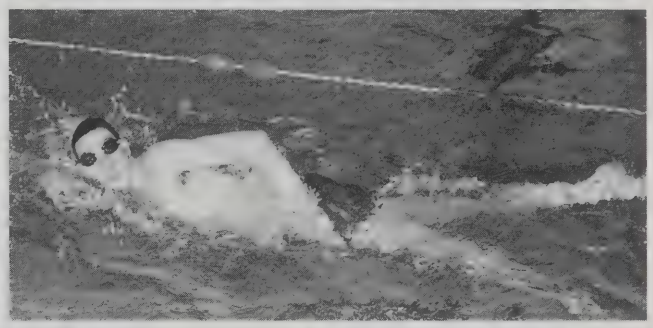
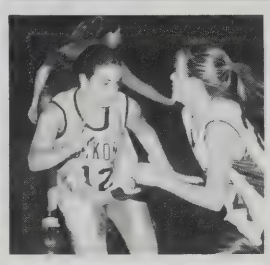
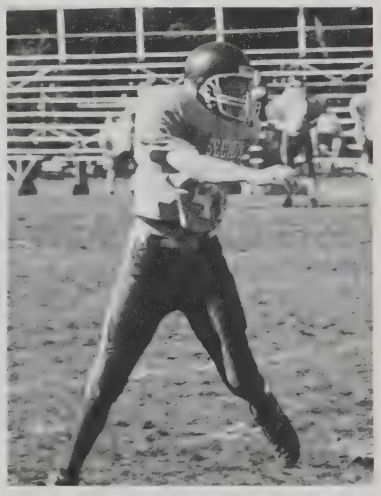
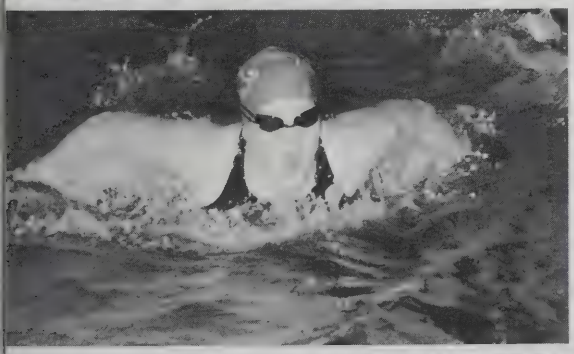
Warrior Pride runs rampant throughout Seekonk. We walk away from after-school practice with not only sore muscles, but also with tales of "the Duke," dance parties in the pool, soccer team serenades, Brittney Spears impressions, and tons of "Remember when ..." stories that prove hard to forget.

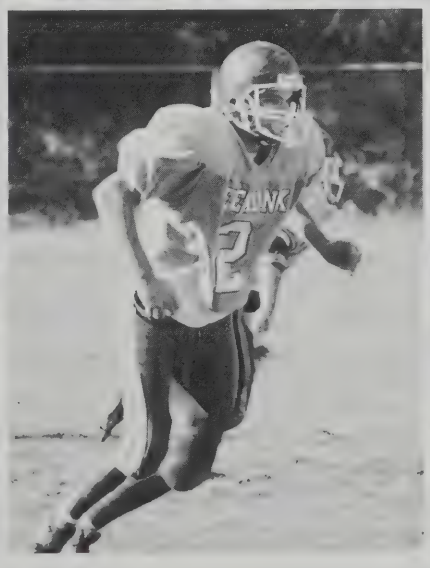


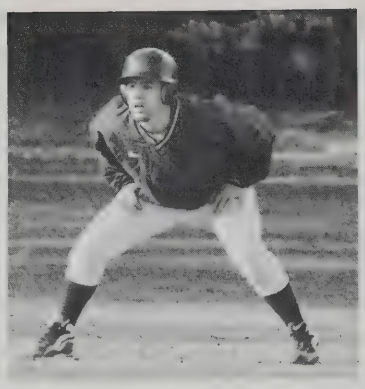






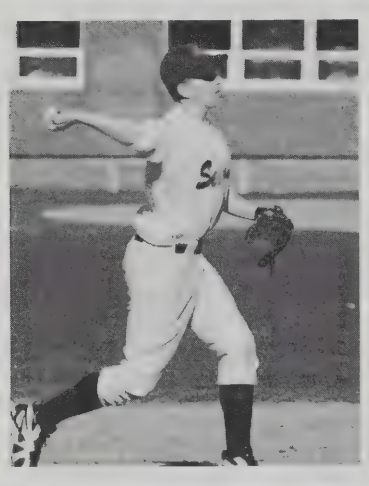


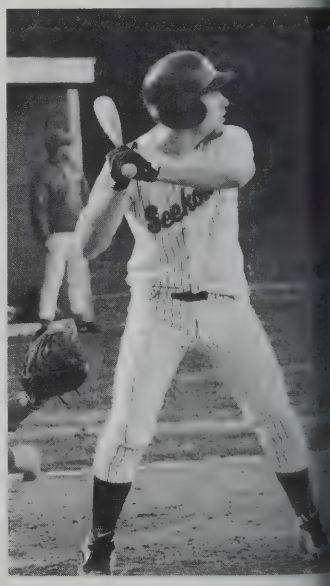


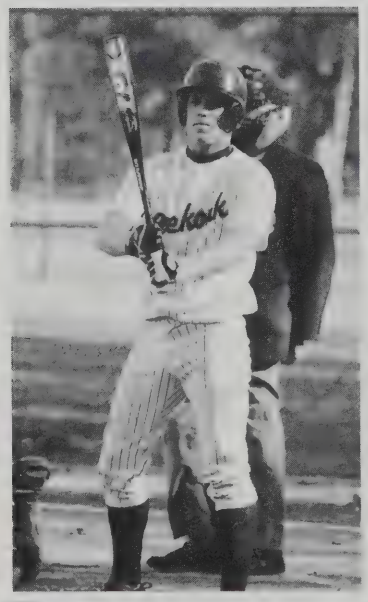
A Cinderella Story

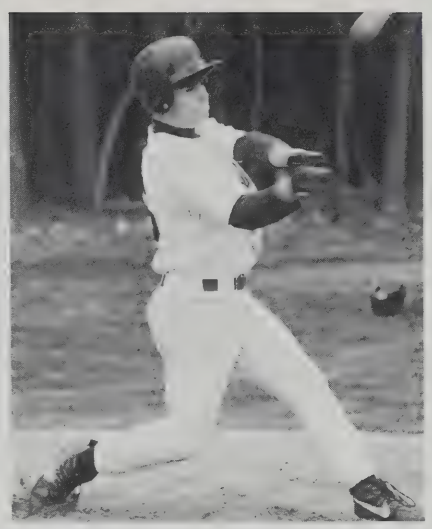
The 1999 boys baseball team had another productive and successful season under the helm of Coach Mike Mooney. The team cruised through the regular season with a record of 12-8, and then went on to qualify for the State Tournament where the team defeated number-two seed Coyle Cassidy in the quarter finals. The team moved on but suffered a crushing one-run loss to Sharon in the semi-finals in extra innings. The team was led by a strong cast of seniors, including Brett Fisher, Ryan Grant, Dave Booth, Brian Viera, Jimmy Diaz, and Shane Lacroix.

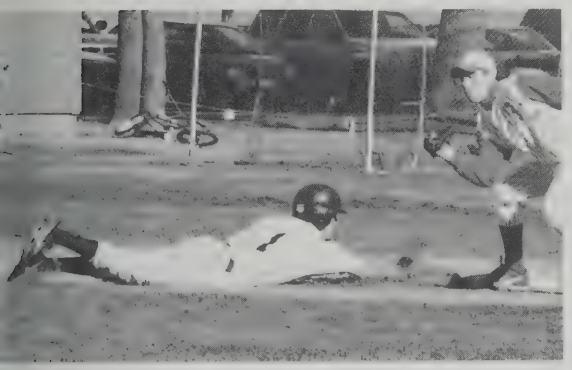
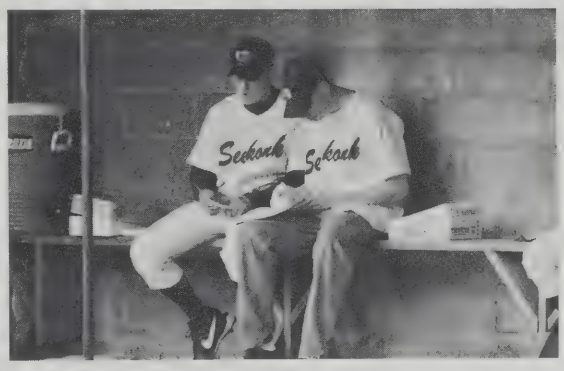
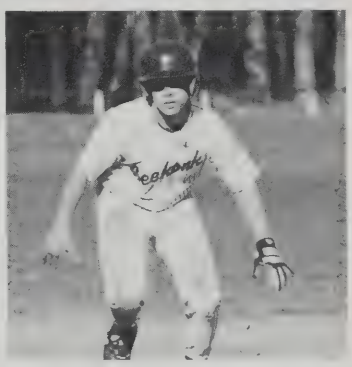
Also leading the team were Jimmy Appleton, Tom Toppin, Justin Lambert, Keith Sweeney and Kevin Bradley. This mixture of age and experience was able to help the Warriors make it to the State Tournament for the third time in the past four years. By doing so, the team took its place as one of the perennial favorites to capture the South Coast Conference title next season.









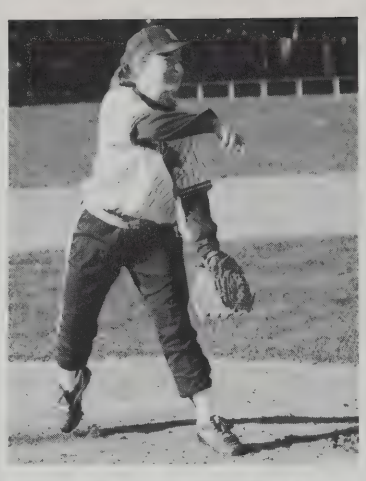
"I believe that we have the potential to win. In order to use this potential we must work hard and play together as a team."

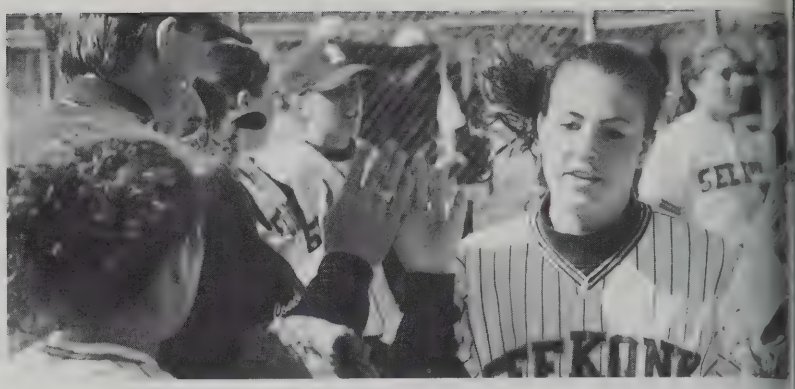
-Jimmy Appleton

Top Row: Coach Mike Mooney, Shane Lacroix, Chris Romano, Dave Booth, Tom Toppin, Jon Benoit, Keith Sweeney, Derek Lyon.
Bottom Row: Jimmy Appleton, Brian Vieira, Kevin Bradley, Jimmy Diaz, and Brett Fisher.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	3-2	Bishop Connolly
Seekonk	10-1	Medway
Seekonk	14-4	Case
Seekonk	2-4	Bourne
Seekonk	7-5	Apponequet
Seekonk	3-4	Wareham
Seekonk	0-7	Bishop Connolly
Seekonk	5-1	Medway
Seekonk	5-3	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	3-2	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	2-1	Fairhaven
Seekonk	6-7	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	5-6	Case
Seekonk	4-6	Bourne
Seekonk	4-5	Apponequet
Seekonk	5-3	Wareham
Seekonk	11-5	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	3-4	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	3-2	Fairhaven
Seekonk	4-1	Dighton-Rehoboth
State Tournament		
Seekonk	10-1	East Bridgewater
Seekonk	5-4	Coyle-Cassidy
Seekonk	8-9	Sharon

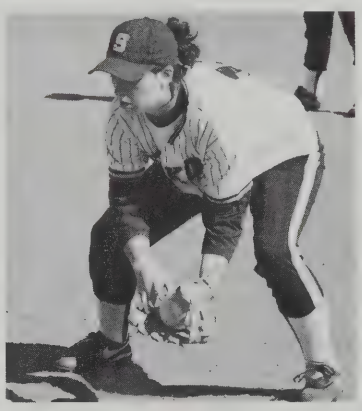


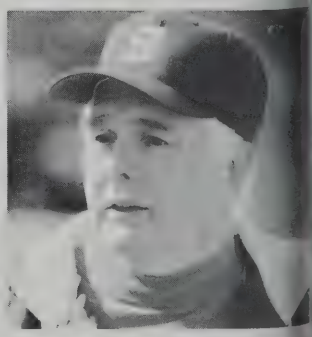


Building for the Future

The 1999 girls softball team was a little disappointed with its overall record of 2-18, but they were able to salvage the season with hard work and determination. A small group of position players returned, leaving the Lady Warriors with a young team as a whole.

The team was led by Tanya Lee and Captain Katie Neuner. Others who stepped up their play included star pitcher Amy Blaisdell, Beth Varone, Carmel Wills and Jen Brown. Underclassmen who joined the varsity level included Alisha Lee, Jen Rapoza and Shannon Creamer. With this young group, the Warriors were able to gain ability and experience throughout the season and showed great promise for the future.





"Despite our record, we had fun and played hard."

- Amy Blaisdell

Top Row: Coach Jeff Creamer, Erin Heelan, Beth Varone, Carmel Wills, Jen Brown, and Coach Norm Bolin.
2nd Row: Stephanie Leite, Amy Blaisdell, Ashley Amaral, Jen Rapoza, and Kristen Mastropietro.
Bottom Row: Cathy Holden, Alisha Lee, Tanya Lee, Katie Neuner, and Shannon Creamer.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	5-10	Bishop Connelly
Seekonk	6-4	Nantucket
Seekonk	1-9	Case
Seekonk	3-4	Bourne
Seekonk	0-14	Apponequet
Seekonk	3-10	Wareham
Seekonk	0-7	Old Rochester
Seekonk	0-6	Fairhaven
Seekonk	0-3	Dighton Rehoboth
Seekonk	1-14	Case
Seekonk	10-1	Bourne
Seekonk	0-15	Apponequet
Seekonk	0-1	Wareham
Seekonk	1-2	Old Rochester
Seekonk	0-15	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	4-7	Bishop Connelly
Seekonk	8-14	Fairhaven
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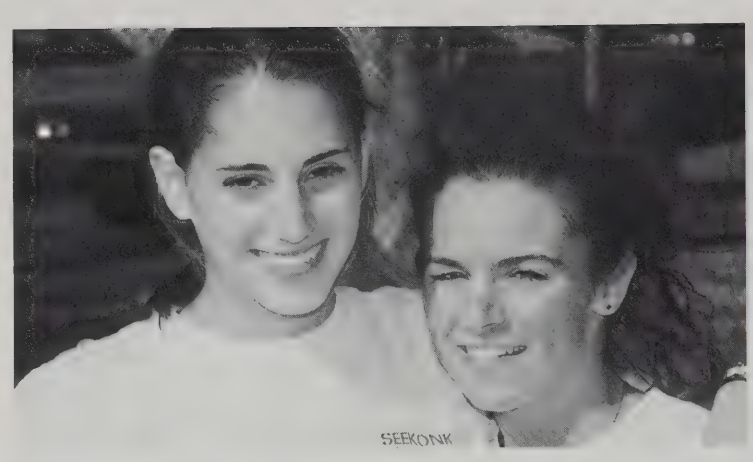
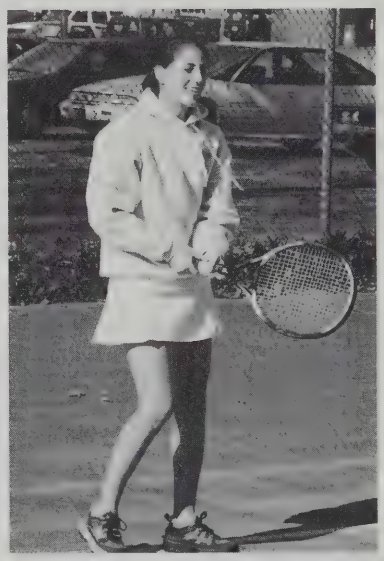
Seekonk	0-7	Dighton Rehoboth
Seekonk	3-8	Nantucket

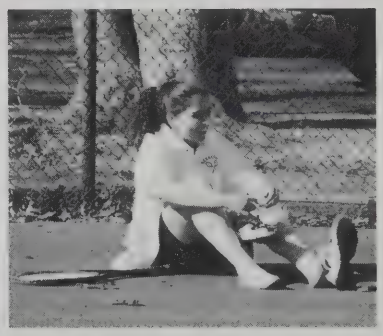


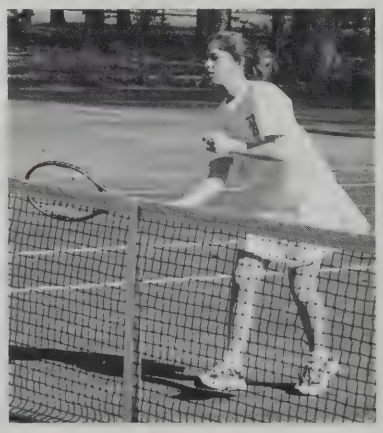
Queens of the Court

The 1999 girls tennis team began a new season with a new coach Megan Brenner. The team began slowly but was able to finish off the season with an overall record of 7-8, and 7-7 in South Coast Conference play.

Captains Alycia Mason and Emily Smith, as well as Emily Field, Anne Zimmerman, Christine Sanders, and Delila Veiga, led the team. Along with this large group of seniors, the team was loaded with a core of talented players. Sara Schobel, Rebecca Horton, Liz Forest, and Angela Tamburro, Amy Sanders and Tracey Derham all had varsity experience. With this strong cast, the Lady Warriors were able to once again contend for the South Coast Conference title and move on to the All-State level.







"We did really well this year, making it to the states. But, more importantly, we all worked hard and had a good time."

-Elizabeth Forest

Top Row: Linda Grourke, Rebecca Horton, Kathy Gridley, Elizabeth Forest, Corinne Poirier, Angela Tamburro, and Coach Megan Brenner.
2nd Row: Emily Field, Anne Zimmerman, Alycia Mason, Emily Smith, Christine Sanders, and Dalila Veiga.
Bottom Row: Ashley Kaplan, Amy Sanders, Sara Schobel, Beth Chapman, and Tracy Derham.

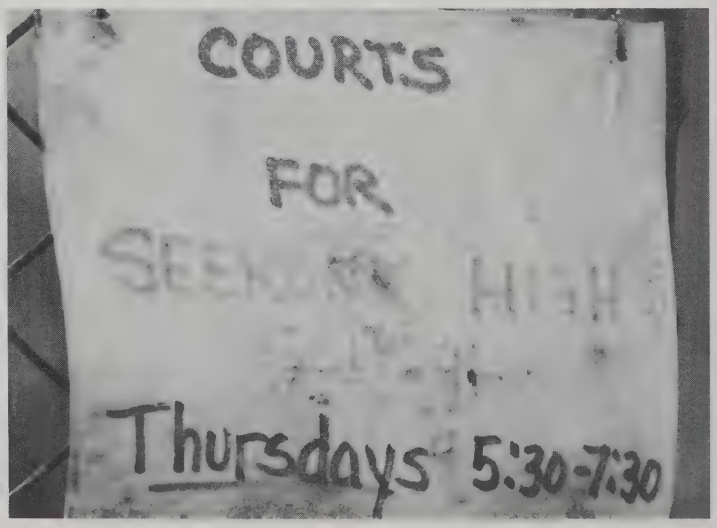
Scoreboard

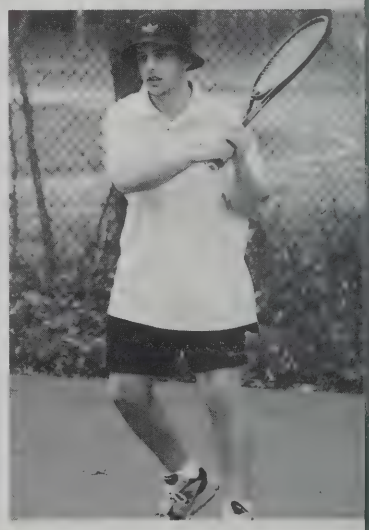
Seekonk	Win	Bourne
Seekonk	Loss	Case
Seekonk	Loss	Fairhaven
Seekonk	Win	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	Win	Wareham
Seekonk	Loss	Old Rochester
Seekonk	Loss	Apponequet
Seekonk	Loss	Bourne
Seekonk	Win	Case
Seekonk	Loss	Fairhaven
Seekonk	Win	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	Win	Wareham
Seekonk	Win	Old Rochester
Seekonk	Loss	Apponequet

Serving Up the Competition

The 1999 boys tennis team had another up and down season but managed to finish off with an even record at 7-7. The team qualified for the State Tournament but did not enter due to injuries and sickness. The Warriors were able to fight back after losing Brent Poliquin early in the season due to sickness and finish the season strongly. As the season progressed, the team began to gel and come together when unity was needed.

Leading the team during this revival was captain Jason Pratt, Kyle Peterson, Tim Taylor, Josh St. Germain, Steve Fantasia, and Jeff Noble. While the team finished with a .500 record, it was able to meet its goal of qualifying for states and carrying on the Seekonk tennis tradition.





"Even when we lost, we still managed to have fun."

-Josh St. Germain

Top Row: Coach Ron Ridolfi, Brent Poliquin, Josh St. Germain, Kyle Peterson and Jay Pratt.
Bottom Row: Steve Fantasia, Steve Alaownis, Tim Taylor and Jeff Noble.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	3-2	Bourne
Seekonk	5-0	Case
Seekonk	5-0	Fairhaven
Seekonk	1-4	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	4-1	Wareham
Seekonk	1-4	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	4-1	Apponequet
Seekonk	2-3	Bourne
Seekonk	5-0	Case
Seekonk	3-2	Fairhaven
Seekonk	1-4	Dighton-Rehoboth
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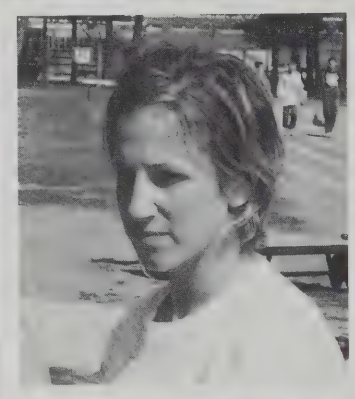
Seekonk	2-3	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	2-3	Apponequet

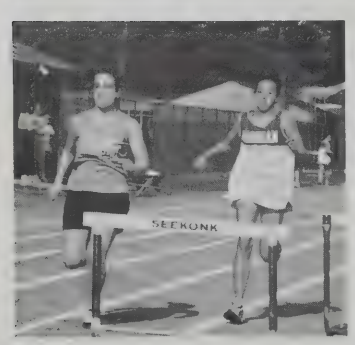


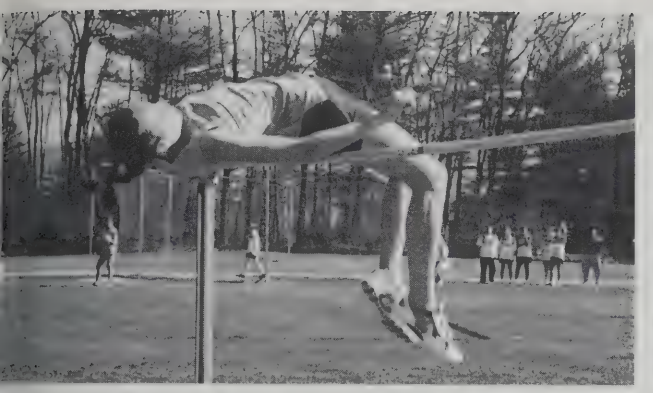
Girls Just Wanna Have Fun

The 1999 girls track team finished the season with an overall record of 5-3 in the South Coast Conference. The team was under the guidance and leadership of head coach Jenn Frye and new assistant Jeff Tracey.

Leading the team were standouts Lindie Thibodeau, Alysia Dobosz, and Courtney Apuzzo. Also contributing were Michaela Bradley, Kelli Murtha, Rebecca Codeiro, along with underclassman phenom Christina Nardozzi.

After concluding the regular season, a few select members of the Lady Warriors moved on to the All-State level where they experienced great success. Led by Thibodeau and Nardozzi, the team finished second in the Division II All State Championships. The team faced difficulty in the beginning with such a young group of athletes, but they were able to gain experience throughout the season and shine in the end.



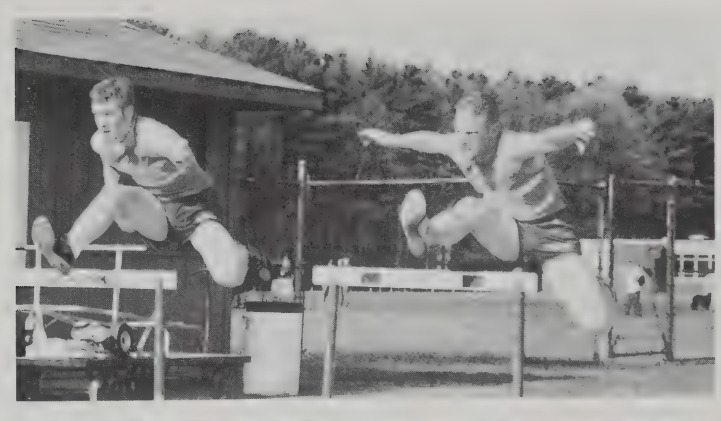


"Although our season wasn't as strong as it's been in the past, our new coaches motivated us to do our best, and we had a lot of fun."
-Michaela Bradley

Top Row: Coach Jeff Tracey, Kristen Daigle, Jill Roberts, Emily O'Conner, Sarah Mello, Lowina Sham, Lisa Andrade, Carrie Chadsey, Maggie Moy, Christina Nardozzi, Sarah Gibbons, and Coach Jenn Frey.
2nd Row: Jessica Jones, Michaela Bradley, Kelli Murtha, Rebecca Cordeiro, Courtney Apuzzo, Mandy Kam, Kelley Hayes, and Beth Reitman.
3rd Row: Maribeth Byrne, Vicky Rapoza, Caitlin O'Grady, Christine Skurka, Leslie Amaral, Nicole Maynard, Angel Gomes, and Sherri Korlacki
Bottom Row: Lindie Thibodeau, Crystal Morin, Randi Sullivan, Alysia Dobosz, Allison Leclaire, Carol Geddes, Linda Drohan, and Palki Maheshwari.

Scoreboard

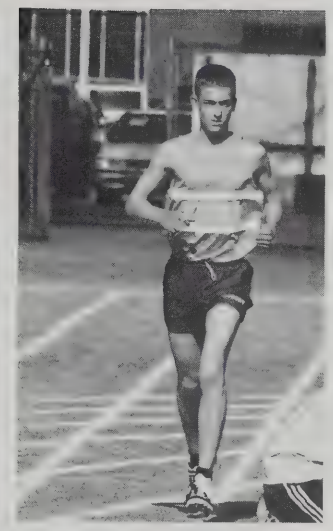
Seekonk	Loss	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	Win	Wareham
Seekonk	Loss	Old Rochester
Seekonk	Win	Case
Seekonk	Loss	Apponequet
Seekonk	Win	Fairhaven
Seekonk	Win	Bourne
Seekonk	Win	New Bedford Voke



Continuing the Tradition

The 1999 boys track team capped off another impeccable season by winning a slew of titles, including an undefeated duel meet season, the SCC Championship, SCC Relays, Class D Relays, Class D Meet, and the Division II All-State Meet. A strong core of state-level athletes led the team, including Andy Skurka, John Ciccio, Matt Lombardi, Egas Gomes, Rob Welch and National Shot Put Champion Jeff Chakouian.

The team was able to take advantage of these quality athletes, and Jeff was able to continue his success from the previous season to once again pilot the Warriors when it came down to crunch time. Seekonk also was able to capitalize on its hard work and talented personnel, using both to continue its complete dominance in the South Coast Conference and throughout the All-State level.



"Seekonk track is respected and feared all over the state because we represent the best."

- Michael Bairos

Top Row: Coach Frank Mooney, Coach Matt Benson.
2nd Row: Steve Ferrara, Glenn Morin, Matt McCartin, Matt Richards, Russell Pickett, Aaron Shute, Jeremy Thibodeau, Anthony Nardozzi, Aaron Hendricks, Chris Brown.
3rd Row: Egas Gomes, Brendan Jones, Ben Mello, Mike Bairos, Kota Kurano, Mike Grima, Tim Allison, Shane Silva.
4th Row: Josh Doktor, Brian Ferrara, Dustin Loiselle, Ryan Gibeau, Tim Neuner, Randy Moy, Marco Correira, Brian Baptista.
5th Row: Jeff Chakouian, Ryan Kerr, Kurt Tavares, Tom Allison, Rob Welch, Mike Rose, Abel Pereira, Rob Kwong.
Bottom Row: Matt Lombardi, John Ciccio, Justin Snape, Kyle Terry, Jon Haddad, Andy Skurka, Ken MaGowan, Andy Moy, and Josh DaSilva.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	70-66	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	77-59	Wareham
Seekonk	61-75	Bishop Feehan
Seekonk	101-35	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	68-28	Case
Seekonk	105-26	Apponequet
Seekonk	117-27	Bourne
Seekonk	99-37	Fairhaven
Seekonk	96-40	New Bedford Voc.

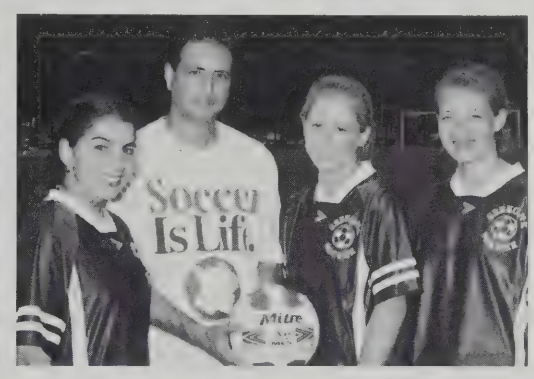
SCC Relays	1st
Class D Relays	1st
SCC Championship Meet	1st
Class D Meet	1st
Division II All-State Meet	1st

Put it in the Net

This year the girls soccer team returned for its second season of varsity play. Although their record was not as promising as they had hoped, the team members were much more competitive in the league.

This year's addition of a junior varsity team gives the future program a hopeful outlook. The team's younger players showed a lot of skill and talent as the season progressed. Ashley Kaplan was named to the all-conference team, with Stephanie Leite and Michelle Benoit received honorable mentions.

The tri-captains of Michaela Bradley, Kelley Crowley, and Ashley Kaplan will be missed next year. The team also will feel the loss of seniors Michelle Benoit, Stephanie Leite, Sara Schobel, and Angela Tamburo. Good luck next season!!



"Although our record does not show improvement, we really came together as a team and had a lot of fun."

- Kelley Crowley

Top Row: Coach Edward Cunard, Michelle Cummings, Ashley Benson, Christina Leigh, Marcia Cady, Brittany Botelho, Emily Bradley, Melissa Enwright, Jen Rapoza, Taylor Perkins, Jessica Jones
2nd Row: Heather Bahry, Michelle Benoit, Angela Tamburro, Sara Schobel, Corinne Poirier, Carrie Chadsey
Bottom Row: Michaela Bradley, Ashley Kaplan, Kelley Crowley

Scoreboard

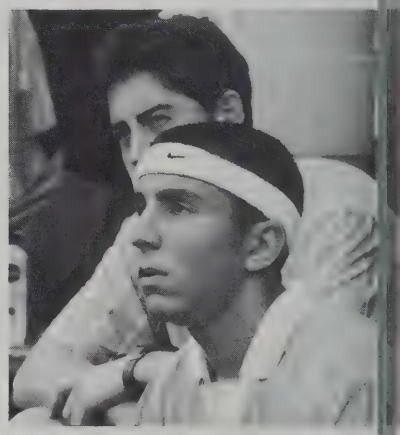
Seekonk	0-8	Norton
Seekonk	1-7	Old Rochester
Seekonk	0-8	Fairhaven
Seekonk	0-9	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	0-2	Case
Seekonk	3-1	Bourne
Seekonk	0-7	Apponequet
Seekonk	0-4	Wareham
Seekonk	5-0	PCD
Seekonk	1-7	Old Rochester
Seekonk	2-2	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	1-7	Fairhaven
Seekonk	0-5	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	3-3	Case
Seekonk	0-5	Bourne
Seekonk	0-5	Norton
Seekonk	2-5	Apponequet
Seekonk	0-5	Wareham
Seekonk	0-5	New Bedford Voke

Second to None

This year's 1999 boys soccer team completed its most successful campaign in school history, not only finishing with its best record of all time at 9-5-2, but also qualifying for the All-State Tournament for the first time. Though they were knocked out in the first round by Foxboro, the team played well and truly gained the respect of other teams and the Seekonk fans.

Under the guidance and expertise of Head Coach Isadoro and captains Matt McCartin, Tim Neuner, and Jeff Noble, the team excelled. Players who also contributed greatly this year included Bill Smith, Brian Oliveira, Kevin Bradley, Mike Pereira, Ryan Gibeau, John Sousa, Ben Tabor, goalies Jamie McCue and Kyle Amaral and newcomer Ryan Fletcher.

With the loss of only a few varsity players, next year's team should once again breeze through the regular season and move on to the State Tournament.



This year's soccer team was nothing short of amazing. All of the guys worked really hard and we finally got the results we always knew we were capable of. I'm proud of all of you guys, and I want to thank you all for making my senior year so memorable. I guess four words sum it all up, "WHAT IS THIS PACE?"

-Matt McCartin

Top Row: Coach Bert Amaral, Jamie McCue, Ben Tabor, Randy Apuzzo, Tom Crowley, Kyle Amaral, and Coach Carlos Isadoro.
2nd Row: Kevin Bradley, Mike Pereira, Chris Denelle, Ryan Gibeau, Ricardo Parente, and John Sousa.
Bottom Row: Ryan Fletcher, Bill Smith, Tim Neuner, Matt McCartin, Jeff Noble, Brian Oliveira, and Stewart Carpenter.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	2-1	Old Rochester
Seekonk	3-0	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	4-0	Fairhaven
Seekonk	5-1	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	3-1	Case
Seekonk	2-0	Bourne
Seekonk	2-1	Apponequet
Seekonk	3-2	Wareham
Seekonk	1-1	Old Rochester
Seekonk	3-1	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	8-1	Fairhaven
Seekonk	3-1	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	2-0	Case
Seekonk	2-1	Bourne
Seekonk	1-1	Apponequet
Seekonk	4-0	Wareham

State Tournament

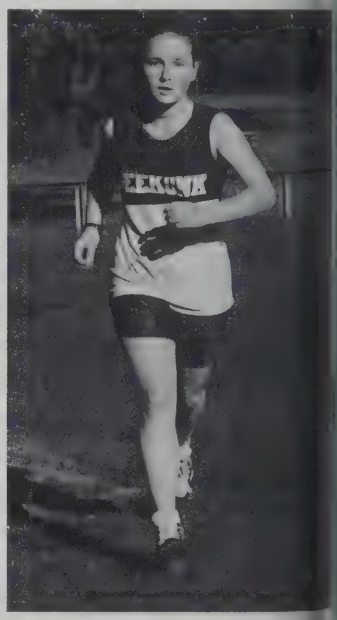
Seekonk	0-2	Foxboro

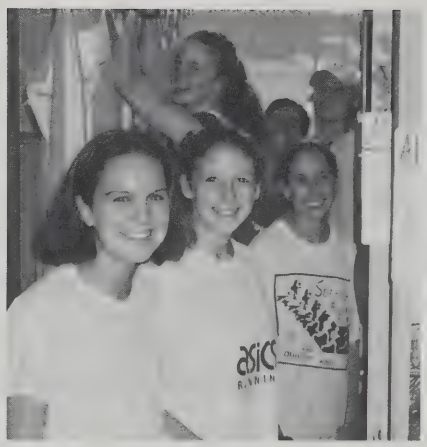
Mighty Mites

The 1999 girls cross country team once again had a great season, finishing first overall in both the South Coast Conference dual meet and the Conference Championship. With an overall record of 8-1, the Lady Warriors secured their place as the dominant team in the SCC after a one-year hiatus.

This year's team was led on and off the course by four-year runner and captain Becky Horton. Also playing vital roles in the team's success were Allison Leclaire, Palki Maheshwari, Caitlin O'Grady, Vicky Rapoza, Linda Drohan, and Christine Skurka. During the season, the girls learned to run as a pack and gained big meet experience that they will be able to draw on next year.

With the loss of only one runner to graduation, next year's "Mighty Mites" should once again be the cream of the crop in the SCC and be ready to battle for the Class D crown.





"This year's Mighty Mites were awesome! We not only bonded as a successful team, we accomplished more than our dreams were made of. Making life long friends along the way! Oh yeah, CC is O.K."
-Rebecca J. Horton

Top Row: Sherri Korlacki, Amy Hubbard, Amanda Whitelaw, Christine Skurka, Linda Drohan, and Coach "Duke" Windsor.
Bottom Row: Allison Leclaire, Palki Maheshwari, Becky Horton, Caitlin O'Grady, and Vicky Rapoza.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	15-50	Bourne
Seekonk	21-40	Old Rochester
Seekonk	15-50	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	33-22	Bishop-Feehan
Seekonk	15-50	Attleboro
Seekonk	17-34	Apponequet
Seekonk	24-33	Dighton-Rehoboth

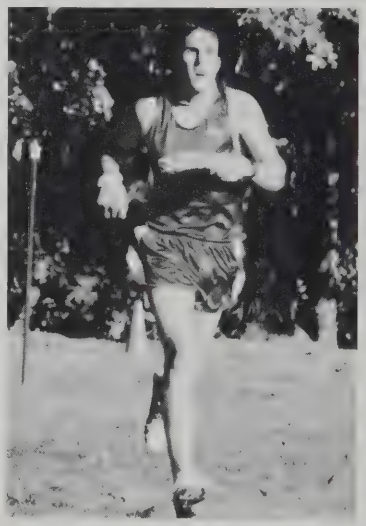
Baystate Invitational 7th
Conference Duel Meet Champions
Conference Championship Meet 1st
Class D Meet 6th

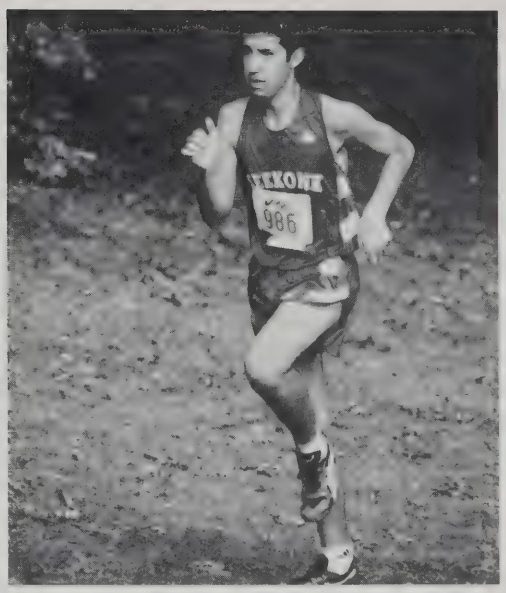
The Guru's Bunch

The boys cross country team ran to a perfect duel meet season for the first time in four years, crushing arch rival Dighton-Rehoboth in the last home meet of the year. In winning this conference deciding match, three Warriors ran their way onto the Cross Country Honor Board. Doing so were Bob Mullen, who moved up to eight, Kurt Tavares with the sixth fastest time, and senior Rob Welch, who broke the course record in his last duel meet.

Along with winning the Conference regular season crown, the Warriors wrapped up the Conference Championship Meet, Bay State Invitational, and the Massachusetts Class D Championship for an impressive fourth time in five years.

With the returning power of seasoned runners Kurt Tavares and Tom Allison, along with the upcoming talents of Tim Allison, Ryan Kerr, and Phil Sullivan, next year's team should look to continue their tradition of running domination.





"Though we didn't accomplish all that we had set out to do, we still had an incredible season filled with many highlights. From Squirrel Master, to Joe, Impala, and countless others, they all made this year special. As for the team, I would have to say that it has been the closest and hardest working team I have ever been associated with. Thanks for making my senior year one to remember. -Rob Welch"

Top Row: Coach "Duke" Windsor, Steve Ferrara, Mark Stafford, Kurt Tavares, Philip Sullivan, Edward Sweeney, and Tim Allison.
Bottom Row: Tom Allison, Kyle Peterson, Bob Mullen, Rob Welch, Brian Chianese, Brian Ferrara, and Ryan Kerr.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	15-50	Bourne
Seekonk	17-42	Wareham
Seekonk	15-50	Old Rochester
Seekonk	15-50	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	29-26	Bishop Feehan
Seekonk	16-41	Attleboro
Seekonk	17-45	Apponequet
Seekonk	17-45	Fairhaven
Seekonk	18-37	Dighton-Rehoboth

Baystate Invitational 1st
Conference Duel Meet Champions
Conference Championship Meet 1st
Class D Meet 1st
All-State Meet 8th

Pull the Trigger

With a team of fifteen returning seniors, this year's varsity field hockey team did not lack experience. Proving to be one of the SCC powerhouses, the team finished second overall in the conference. Seeded thirteenth and traveling on the road, Seekonk amazed the confident, higher seeded Dedham on its home field, with a 2-1 victory. Leading Seekonk in its first win of the tournament was Jill Roberts and Kelli Murtha with a goal apiece. Seekonk then headed to Westport to play in the quarterfinals. The game was evenly matched, ending regulation time with a 1-1 tie. Casey Cetenich scored Seekonk's lone goal, sending the team into overtime, where Roberts was able to find the back of the net and score the winning goal. Seekonk should look to dominate next year as well.

"We had an awesome season, and were very successful in the tournament. We may be a large team but still are very close and have so much fun."

-Kelli Murtha

Top Row: Coach Karen Stone, Stephanie Cary, Jill Roberts, Shannon Creamer, Ashley Amaral, Karen Kearney, Ashley Jutras, Kristen Mastropietro, and Kerri Sullivan.
2nd Row: Maura Hart, Casey Cetenich, Rebecca Cordeiro, Carmel Wills, Christina Dilustro, Rachelle Horton, and Andrea Tepolt.
Bottom Row: Liz Ciccio, Carol Geddes, Kelli Murtha, Julie DaSila, Abby Mulligan, and Lauren Dorazio.

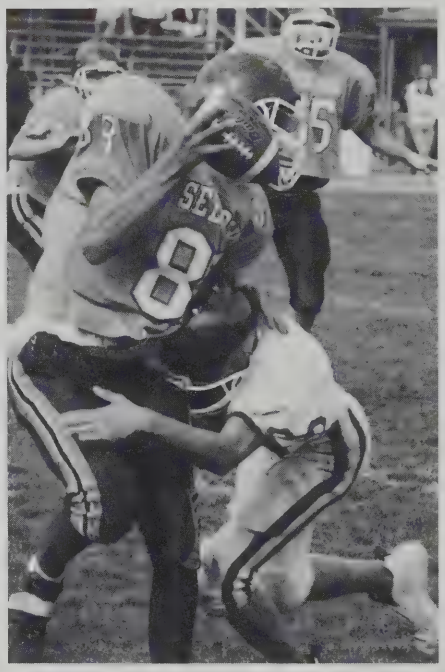
Scoreboard

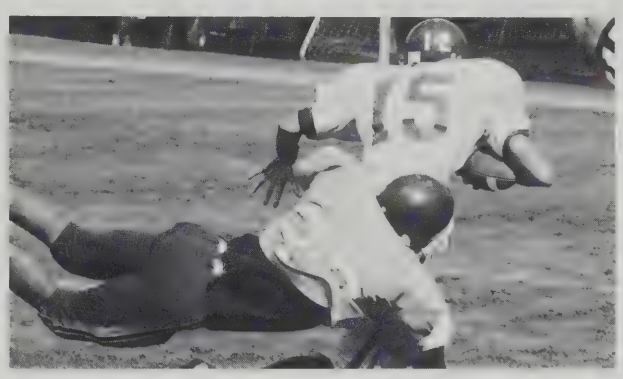
Seekonk	3-0	Old Rochester
Seekonk	2-0	Wareham
Seekonk	0-3	Apponequet
Seekonk	4-1	Bourne
Seekonk	3-0	Nantucket
Seekonk	0-0	Nantucket
Seekonk	2-1	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	2-0	Old Rochester
Seekonk	0-1	Case
Seekonk	2-0	Fairhaven
Seekonk	0-1	Bishop Stang
Seekonk	2-4	Apponequet
Seekonk	2-1	Bourne
Seekonk	1-0	Wareham
Seekonk	2-4	Bishop Stang
Seekonk	4-0	Fair haven
Seekonk	3-3	Dighton-Rehoboth
State Tournament		
Seekonk	2-1	Dedham
Seekonk	2-1	Westport
Seekonk	1-4	Martha's Vineyard

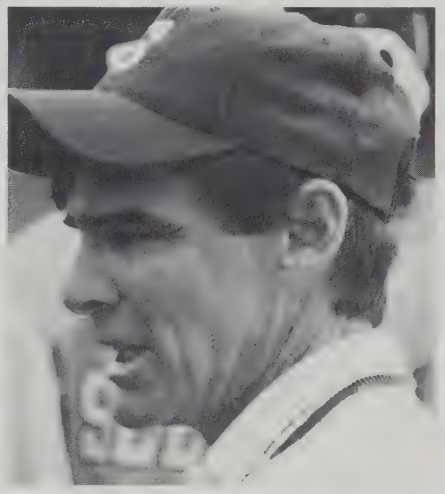
Play for Pride

The 1999 Seekonk football team battled not only on the field this season, but the critics as well. The Warriors rose from the dead to field a squad of truly hardworking and dedicated individuals. Though the scoreboard shows nothing in the win column, it cannot give an accurate description of their season.

The gutsy Warriors fought hard all season, and kept most of their games very close. They were led by the senior contingent of B.J. Jones, Steve Lebeau, Aaron Shute, and SCC All-Star selection Josh Doktor and Honorable Mention Egas Gomes. With the same amount of hard work and dedication, next year's team, a little bigger and stronger, should be able to make it back to the win column.







"Hey yo! I got the ball, I got the ball!"

-B.J. Jones

Top Row: Coach Crippen, Matt O'Connell, Corey Percival, Alex Daluz, Chris Zorra, Brian Langevin, Marco Correira, Mike Pardini, Mike Grima, Doug Brown, Steve Cetenich, Pat Deschamps, Coach Smith, and Coach Pertucci.
2nd Row: T.J. Van Ahnen, Ralph Picardo, Mike McNulty, Nick Reis, Josh Deschamps, T.J. Costa, Shane Silva, Kellan Walski, Tom Booth, Chris Brown, and Brian Baptista.
Bottom Row: Egas Gomes, Jake Harris, Dave Lopes, Joe Mastropietro, B.J. Jones, Aaron Shute, Jon Benoit, Derick Medeiros, and Billy Delaney.

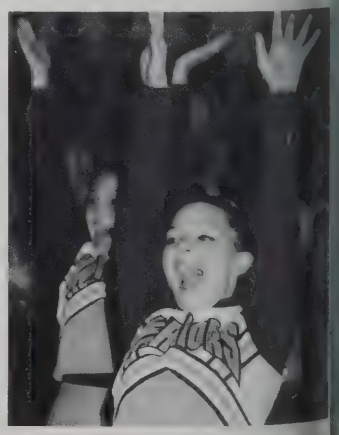
Scoreboard

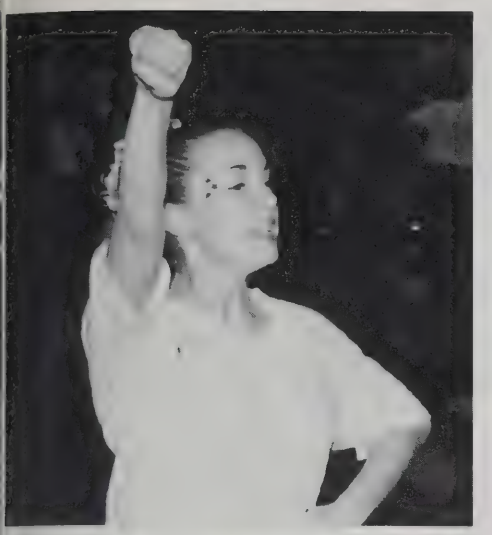
Seekonk	6-28	Apponequet
Seekonk	12-28	Bourne
Seekonk	2-21	Cape Cod Tech
Seekonk	0-35	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	0-36	Hopkinton
Seekonk	0-30	Old Rochester
Seekonk	0-38	Case
Seekonk	14-28	Wareham
Seekonk	0-22	Fairhaven
Seekonk	0-28	Dighton-Rehoboth

Do the Freaky Deaky

This year the football cheerleading squad got off to an early start before the season even began. The girls attended a cheerleading camp at URI this summer. At the end they came out with three trophies and four UCA All-Star Cheerleaders, which included Annette Perry, Jasmine Tirado, Jessie Dumont, and Taylor Rickard. The girls later traveled with the Universal Cheerleading Association to London, England, to cheer in the World's Largest Millennium Parade during Christmas vacation.

The cheerleaders opened the season with captains Annette Perry and Jasmine Tirado. The girls continued to practice hard and always gave it 100 percent. They attended each game faithfully and entertained the crowd with their creative dances, fabulous stunts, and dazzling smiles.

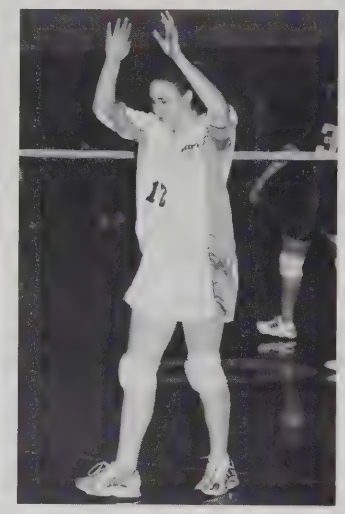




"We had a great season together and we will never forget the memories we made."

- Annette Perry

Top Row: Meagan Carlin, Jessie Dumont, Kendra Debrum, Jasmine Tirado, Taylor Rickard, Annette Perry, Tanya Amaral, Erin Jeanotte, and Courtney Silvia.
Bottom Row: Bethany Chapman and Cassie Katon.



Regulate

The 1999 girls volleyball team had the difficult task of adjusting to a new coach as well as rebuilding this year. Though they were not able to win any games during the course of the season, they showed great heart and determination throughout.

The Lady Warriors were led by the senior contingent of Chrissy Sloyer, Beth Reitman, Kelley Hayes, as well as tri-captains Jennifer Brown, Amy Blaisdell, and Shannon Halpin. Along with this large core, the talent of Ashley Klegraefe, Leslie Amaral, Keli Rupert, Michaela Galvin and Hannah Davis also bolstered the team. With such a large group of underclassmen with varsity experience, next year's team is looking forward to once again contending for the conference title.

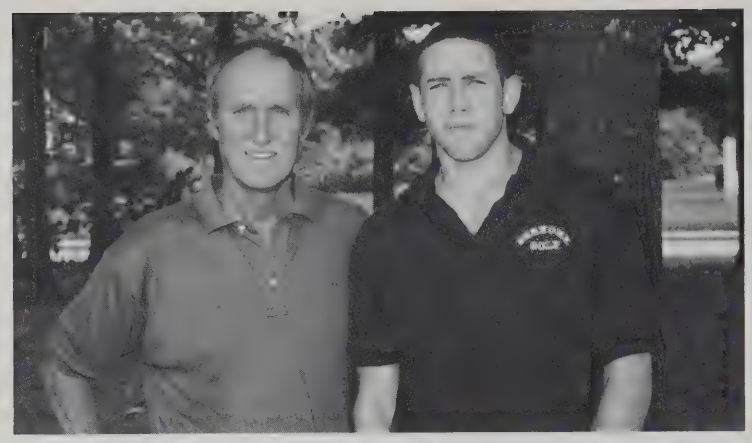
Throughout the season we had some good times and some bad, but we got through it all and had a fun season. The seniors will never forget their last season.

- Beth Reitman

Top Row: Ashley Klegraefe, Leslie Amaral, Keli Rupert, Christina Nardozzi, Michaela Galvin, and Hannah Davis.
Middle Row: Chrissy Sloyer, Beth Reitman, and Kelley Hayes.
Bottom Row: Jennifer Brown, Amy Blaisdell, and Shannon Halpin.

Scoreboard

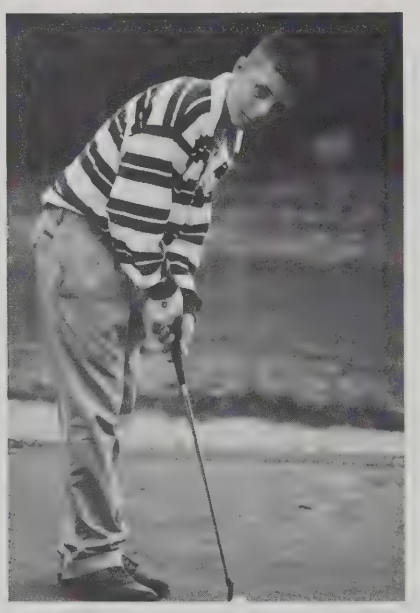
Seekonk	0-2	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	1-2	New Bedford Voc.
Seekonk	0-2	Fairhaven
Seekonk	1-2	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	0-2	Case
Seekonk	0-2	Bourne
Seekonk	1-2	Apponequet
Seekonk	1-2	Wareham
Seekonk	1-2	North Attleboro
Seekonk	1-2	Old Rochester Regional
Seekonk	1-2	New Bedford Voc.
Seekonk	1-2	Fairhaven
Seekonk	1-2	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	1-2	Case
Seekonk	1-2	Bourne
Seekonk	0-2	Apponequet
Seekonk	1-2	Wareham
Seekonk	1-2	North Attleboro

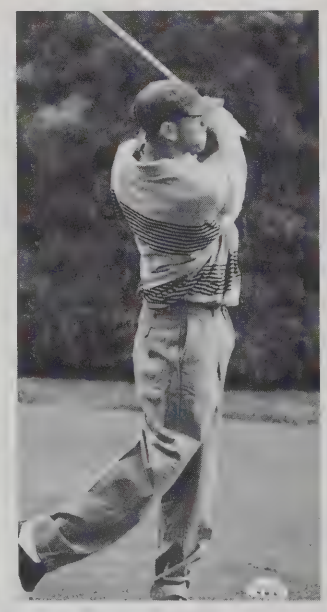


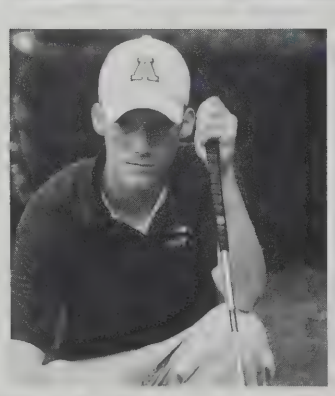
For Bird!

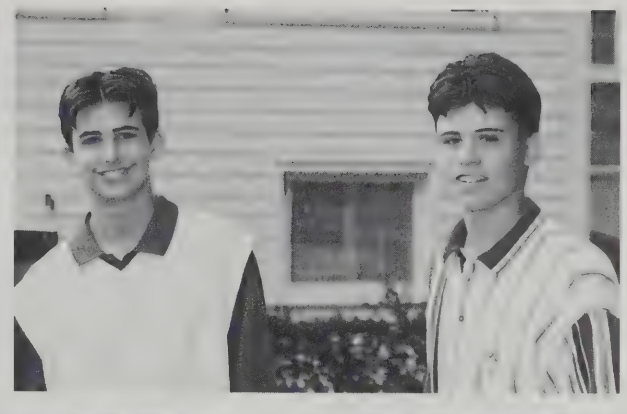
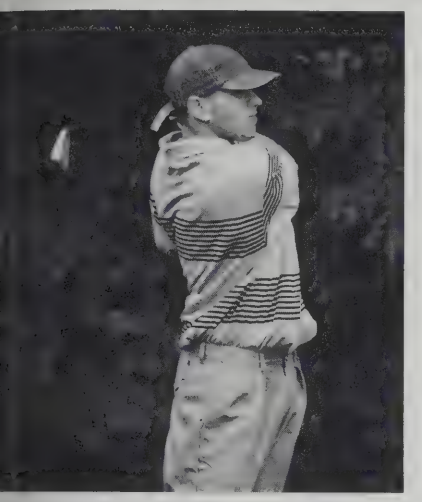
This year's 1999 golf team again continued it tradition of good play throughout the season, and once again qualified for the State Tournament. With an overall record of 10-7-1, and 10-5-1 in the South Coast Conference, the Warriors played exceptionally well. They were led by senior captain Billy Blinn, as well as standouts Mike Rose, Chris Chu, Mike Charland, Keith Sweeney, and James Lynch.

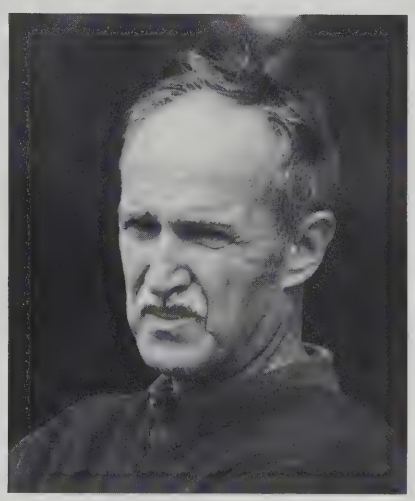
Next year's team will once again hopes to dominate in the SCC and qualify for States, as they will return all but one of their varsity members. With more experience and dedication, the Warriors will again prove to be a powerhouse throughout the region.









"We were a young team consisting of mostly underclassmen. Despite some setbacks we managed to have a good year. I'm anxious to see what we will accomplish next year."

-Michael Rose

Top Row: Coach Bob Kulaga, Keith Sweeney, Mike Charland, William Blinn, James Lynch, and Sean Condon.
Bottom Row: Anthony Grourke, Rob Sladen, Greg Smith, Chris Chu, and Mike Rose.

Scoreboard

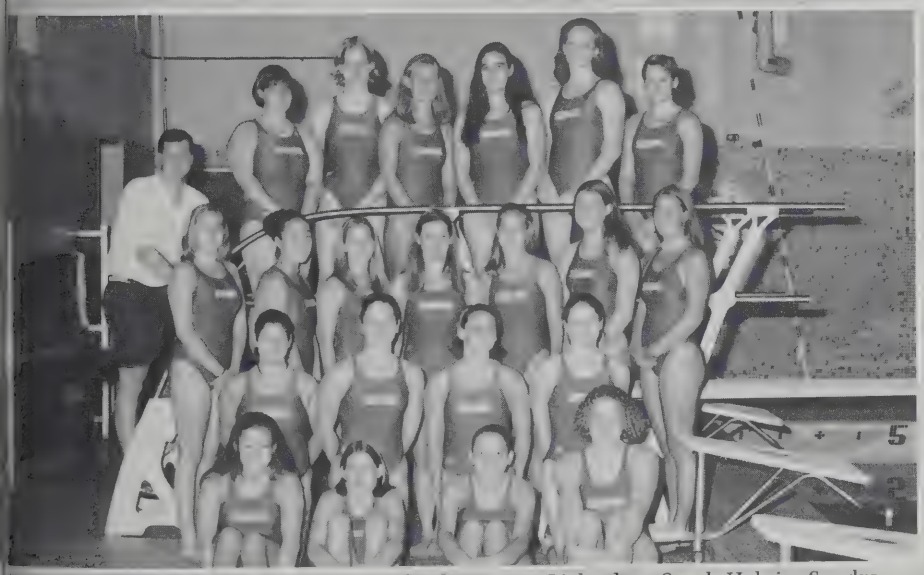
Seekonk	20-34	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	26-28	Apponequet
Seekonk	31-23	Case
Seekonk	23-31	Chatham
Seekonk	36-18	New Bedford Voc
Seekonk	27-27	Bourne
Seekonk	29-25	Fairhaven
Seekonk	36-18	Wareham
Seekonk	26-28	Old Rochester
Seekonk	22-32	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	23-31	Apponequet
Seekonk	28-26	Case
Seekonk	24-30	Chatham
Seekonk	33-21	New Bedford Voc
Seekonk	30-24	Bourne
Seekonk	31-23	Fairhaven
Seekonk	37-17	Wareham
Seekonk	29-25	Old Rochester

Buff Chicks

For the first time in 13 years, the girls swim team went undefeated two seasons in a row with a record of 13-0 under the guidance of coach Ray Grant. Captains Sarah Halpin and Sandra Burnock pulled the team together to win the SCC Relay Carnival and back-to-back Conference Championship meets for the first time in 13 years as well. Senior Courtney Denelle smashed a long-standing record in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 25.23 The team of Jen Gagnon, Alisha Lee, Emily O' Connor, and Courtney Denelle broke the 200-yard free relay record with a time of 144.22. The team had wins against powerhouses Bishop Feehan and the Academy of Notre Dame. More than that however, was the depth this small team is made of; with only 22 girls, the swim team had a most successful season.

"As a team, we came together and accomplished our goals that we had set at the beginning of the season. It was difficult at times, but we overcame it all and rose to the top."

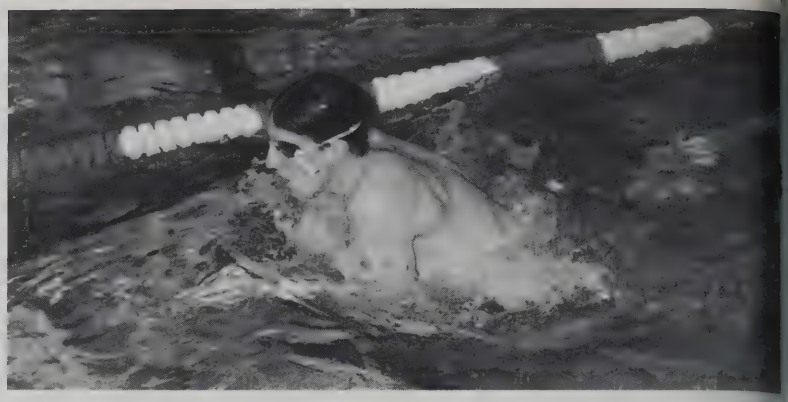
-Courtney Denelle



Top Row: Coach Ray Grant, Jenelle Heberlein, Anja Liebscher, Sarah Halpin, Sandra Burnock, Courtney Denelle, and Maribeth Byrne
2nd Row: Michelle Rezendes, Alisha Lee, Emily Saleeba, Jen Gagnon, Amy Sanders, Kaitlin Miller, and Regan Moore
3rd Row: Amelia DeCesare, Emily O'Connor, Bethany Karbowski, and Amy Wollish
Bottom Row: Lauren Smith, Meghan O'Connell, Josie Fiero, and Kelly Bense

Scoreboard

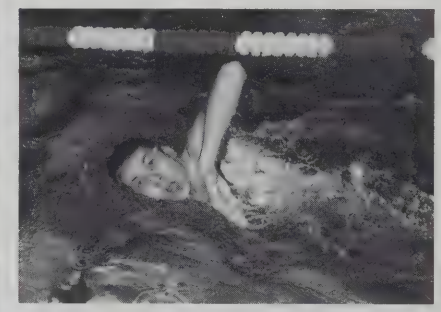
Seekonk	49-42	Apponequet
Seekonk	97-86	Ursuline
Seekonk	104-64	Stoughton
Seekonk	49-43	Brockton
Seekonk	97-83	Canton
Seekonk	101-79	New Bedford
Seekonk	50-41	Attleboro
Seekonk	97-83	Bishop Stang
Seekonk	50-44	Notre Dame
Seekonk	102-76	Milford
Seekonk	49-45	Westwood
Seekonk	51-43	Bishop Feehan
Seekonk	50-42	Durfee

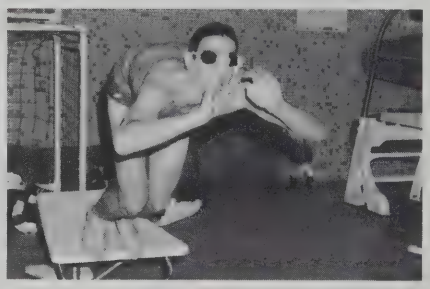


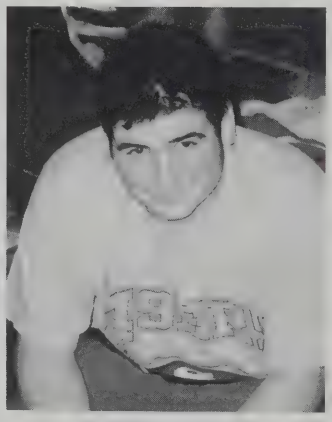
The Tradition Returns

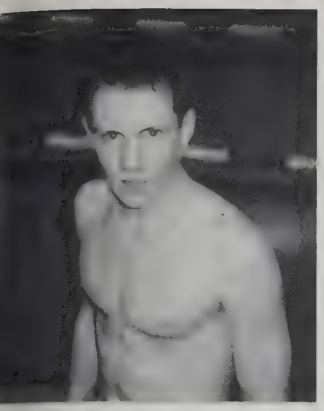
The Boys Swim team finished an impressive season in the conference at 8-1. The Warriors were guided to more success by second-year coach, Ray Grant. There were a few close meets, but that was nothing this powerful swim team couldn't handle. The team was led by senior captain Brian Chianese and Aaron Shute. Next year the team will be returning several key swimmers including Chris "Bubba" Denelle, Alex Blakeney, and Matty O'Connell.

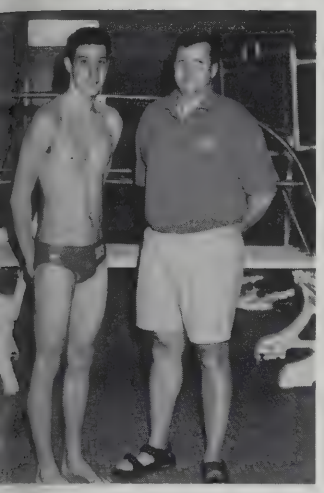
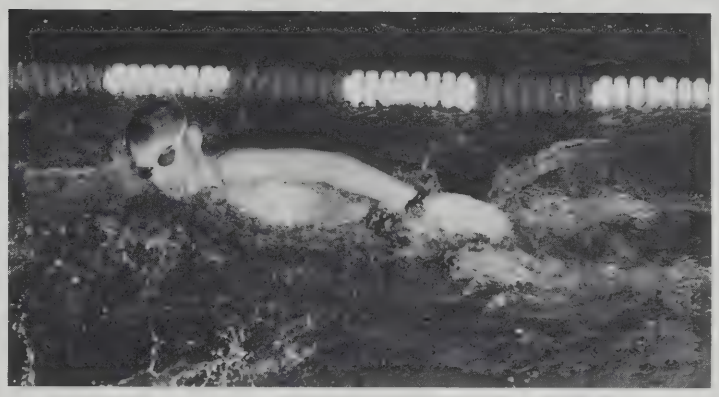
The team continued with its contingent going into the conference meet and taking third place, a great improvement from last year. Chianese, Denelle, O'Connell, Sean Condon, and Trevor Mecketsy lead the team to a ninth place finish at sectionals and propelled them into the top fifteen for the state meet. The team experienced a great amount of success and hopes to continue for the upcoming year.





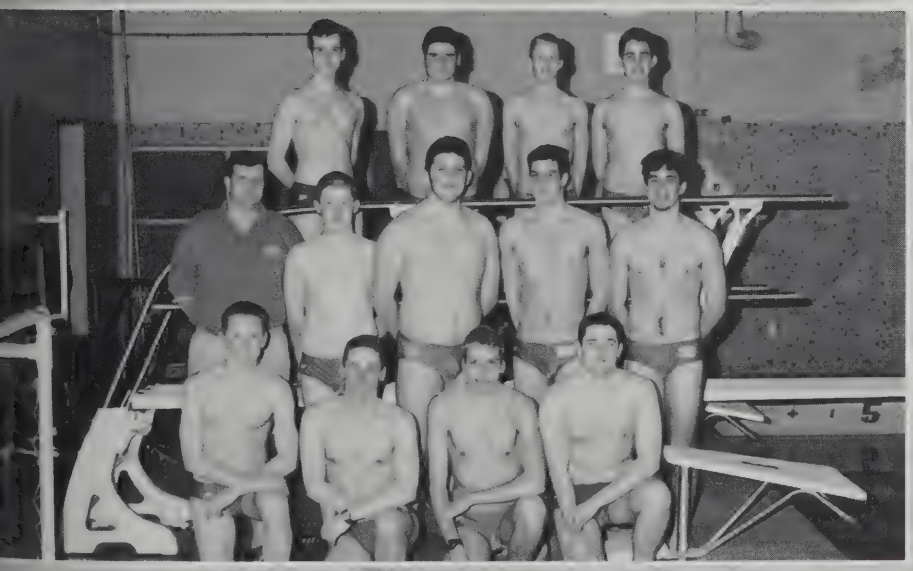




"The team restored its long-awaited tradition, with a tremendous season, bringing pride back to Seekonk swimming."

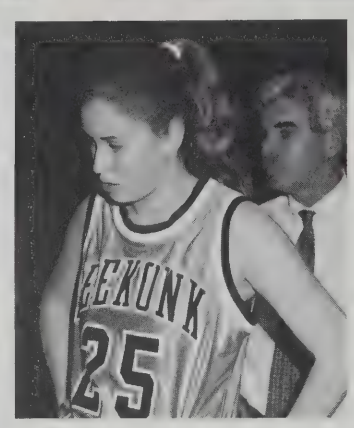
- Brian Chianese



Top Row: Mike Ferguson, Trevor Mecketsy, Sean Condon, and Ed Sweeney.
Middle Row: Coach Ray Grant, Alex Blakeney, Aaron Shute, Brian Chianese, and Jeff Noble.
Bottom Row: Chris Denelle, Nate Jones, Brandon Boucher, and Keith Terry.

Scoreboard

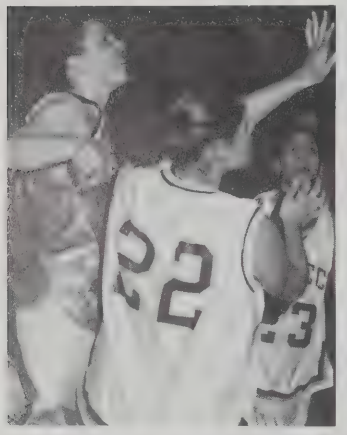
Seekonk	52-39	Westwood
Seekonk	51-39	Apponequet
Seekonk	98-85	New Bedford
Seekonk	51-37	Attleboro
Seekonk	94-81	Brockton
Seekonk	91-78	Milford
Seekonk	38-56	Bishop Feehan
Seekonk	86-63	Durfee
Seekonk	52-38	Stoughton

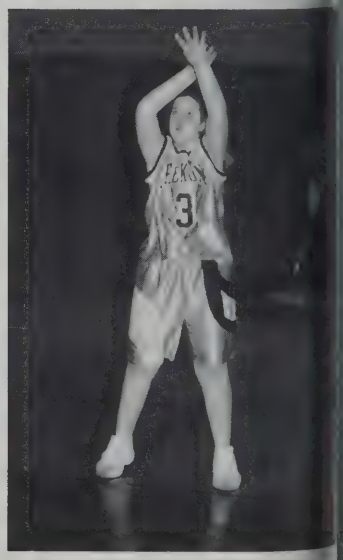


Don't Give Up

The '99-'00 Lady Basketball Warriors had a season of ups and downs. After starting off slowly, the team came together to win some tough games. The high point of the season was Shannon Halpin who became only the 3rd girl in Seekonk Basketball history to reach over 1000 career points. The Warriors were led by the senior contingent of Kerri Sullivan, Kelli Murtha and the aforementioned Halpin. Though the team's record did not show improvement from last season they played really well together; they just couldn't fit the pieces of the puzzle together.

Next year's team will be led by strong underclassmen such as Mickaela Galvin, Linda Lopes, Ashley Nickolson, Jess Jones, Nicole Menard, and new captains Ashley Amaral and Kristen Mastropietro. With this strong cast of talented young players, next year's team should be looking to improve on their 4-12 record from this season.





Who ever said winning was important?

- Shannon Halpin

Top Row: Coach Mike Mooney, Linda Lopes, Shannon Halpin, Ashley Amaral, Mickaela Galvin, Nicole Menard, and Coach Dawn Rego.
Bottom Row: Ashley Nickolson, Kristen Mastropietro, Kerri Sullivan, Kelli Murtha, and Jessica Jones.

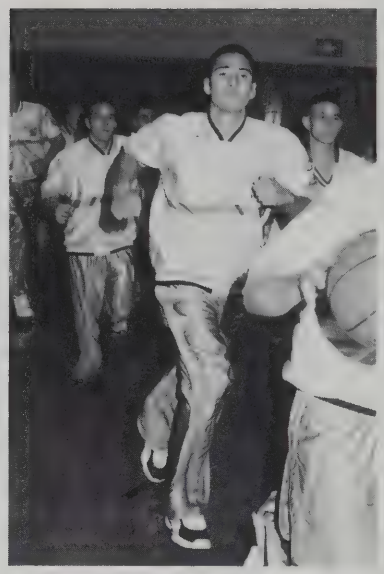
Scoreboard

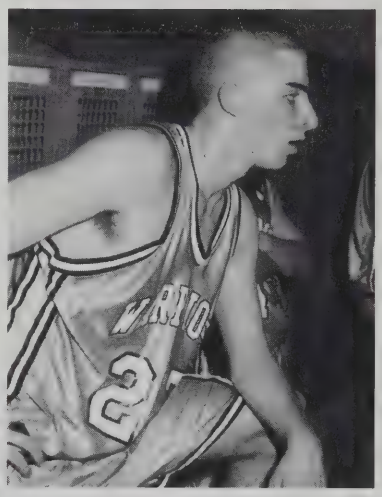
Seekonk	45-60	Wareham
Seekonk	28-58	Old Rochester
Seekonk	43-57	Fairhaven
Seekonk	40-53	Case
Seekonk	41-63	Apponequet
Seekonk	66-42	Bourne
Seekonk	33-57	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	27-41	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	41-74	Westport
Seekonk	42-71	Wareham
Seekonk	52-60	Old Rochester
Seekonk	48-54	Fairhaven
Seekonk	52-48	Case
Seekonk	42-61	Apponequet
Seekonk	57-59	Bourne
Seekonk	62-52	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	27-55	Dighton-Rehoboth

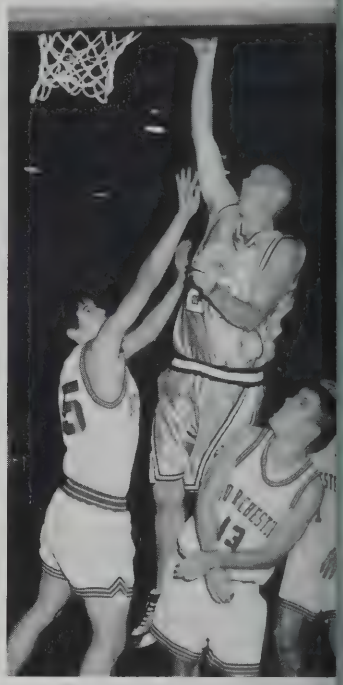
Overhand!

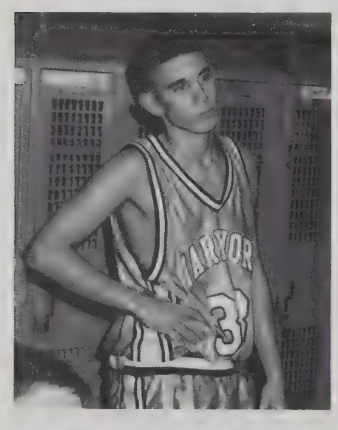
This year the Warriors improved as a team and fought hard despite the loss of four players during the season. Their record of 9-11 doesn't show the talent this team had. Seekonk came within one game of the state tourney, but eight close games they lost by less than ten points, a double overtime loss to DR, and a loss to undefeated state champs Charlestown at the end of the season kept the Warriors out.

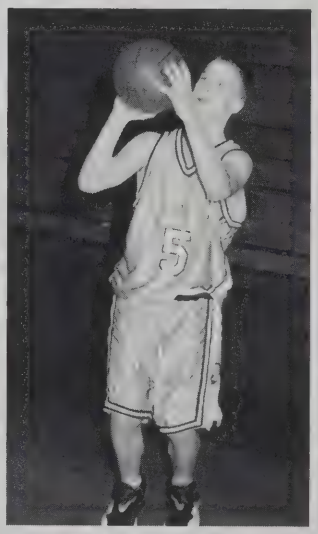
The Warriors were led by seniors Tom Toppin and captain Ryan Fletcher. Senior center Jon Holden, who made the all-star game, broke the SCC record for single season dunks with eight, and all-star sophomore point guard Kevin Bradley led the attack for the warriors. Kurt Tarvares and Ricardo Parente helped out in all aspects and look to be leaders next year along with three returning sophomores.

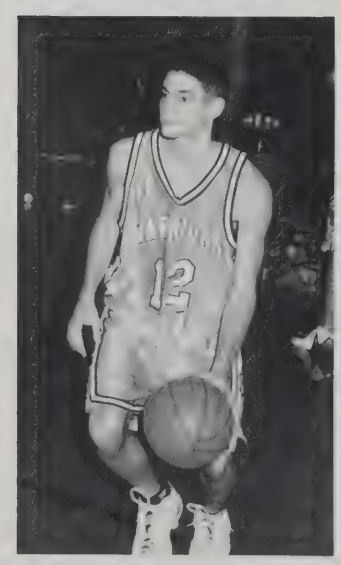


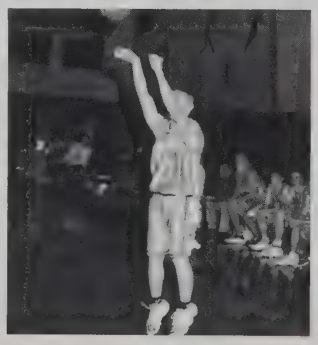


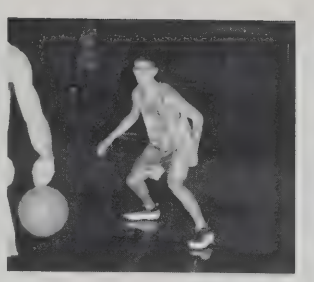


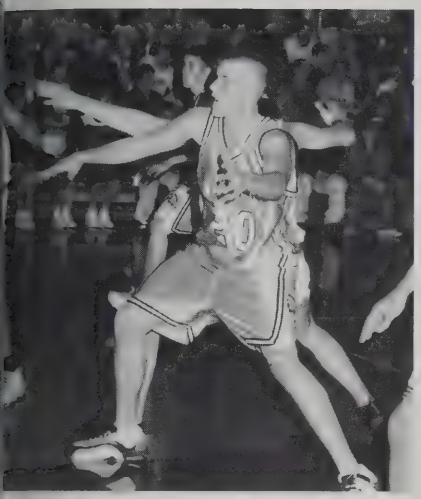


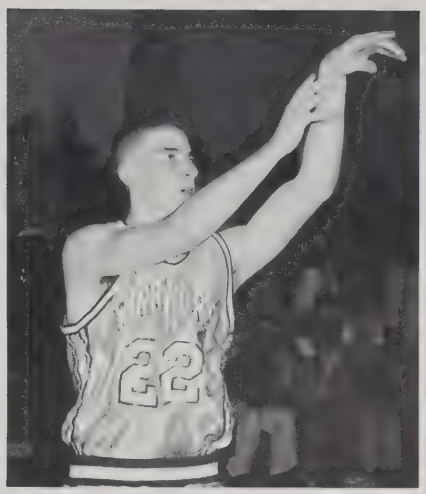












"This team had fun all year despite some difficulties. At times it looked tough but we fought hard and never quit. We had a lot of talent and gave it our best each game.

- Jon Holden"

Top Row: Assistant Coach Meyo, Ricardo Parente, Kurt Tavares, Steve LeBeau, Tom Toppin, Jon Holden, Keith Sweeney, and Coach Ed DeMello.
Bottom Row: Alex Daluz, John Sousa, Ryan Fletcher, Kevin Bradley, and Bill Blinn.

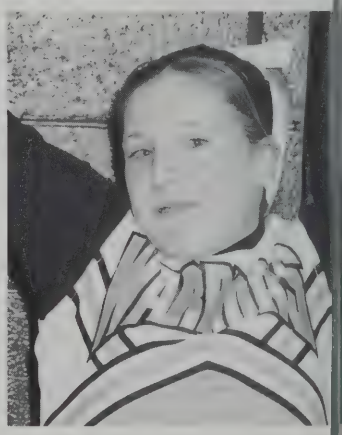
Scoreboard

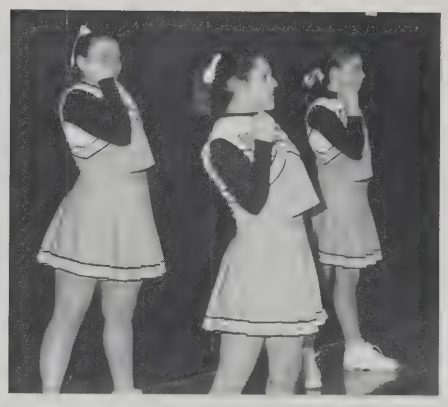
Seekonk	60-62	King Phillip
Seekonk	62-60	Bishop Connolly
Seekonk	52-60	Wareham
Seekonk	56-50	Old Rochester
Seekonk	72-79	Fairhaven
Seekonk	70-50	Case
Seekonk	64-61	Apponequet
Seekonk	66-80	Bourne
Seekonk	65-68	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	59-56	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	53-90	Wareham
Seekonk	57-66	Old Rochester
Seekonk	59-66	Fairhaven
Seekonk	58-52	Case
Seekonk	58-52	Apponequet
Seekonk	63-65	Bourne
Seekonk	77-62	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	67-71	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	65-52	Walpole
Seekonk	68-98	Charlestown

Lover's Leap

This year the girls started off the season under the coaching of Michelle Debrum and co-captains Kendra DeBrum and Jasmine Tirado. They began the season with 17 girls and continued to work towards victory as they began practicing for the competition. After many long practices and dedicated time, the girls performed in the Shepherd's Hill Competition and also the SCC Competition.

This season they repeated the tradition of receiving guidance from the UMASS Dartmouth Cheerleading Squad. They learned college mounts and new techniques to upgrade their routines, which showed to be a great success at competition.





"We all went through our difficulties this season but we still stuck through and always gave it 110%. Girls we will never forget our thrilling games of "Chicken in a Hen House."

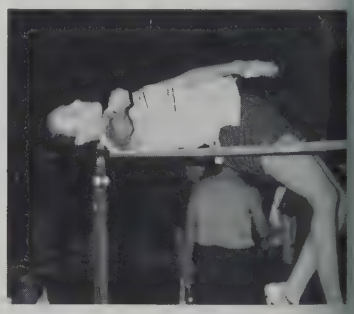
- Jessie Dumont"

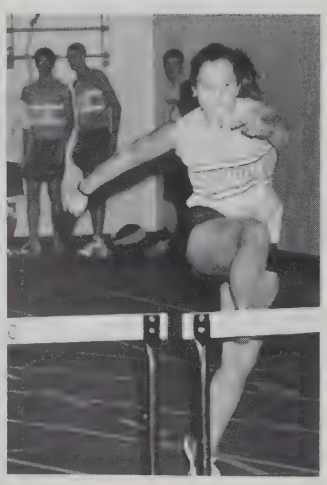
Top Row: Kristyn Lonczak, Nicole Amaral, Kendra DeBrum, Courtney Silvia, and Cassie Katon.
2nd Row: Bethany Chapman, Jessie Dumont, and Taylor Rickard.
3rd Row: Tanya Amaral, Annette Perry, and Jasmine Tirado.
Bottom Row: Malarie Lorello and Erin Jeanotte.

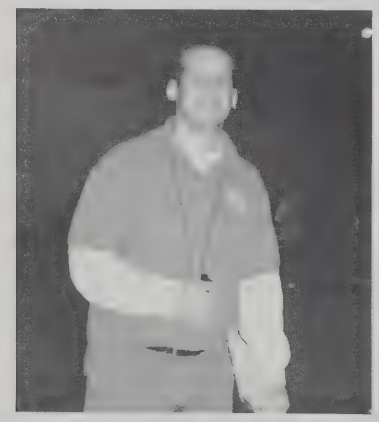
Got Gary?

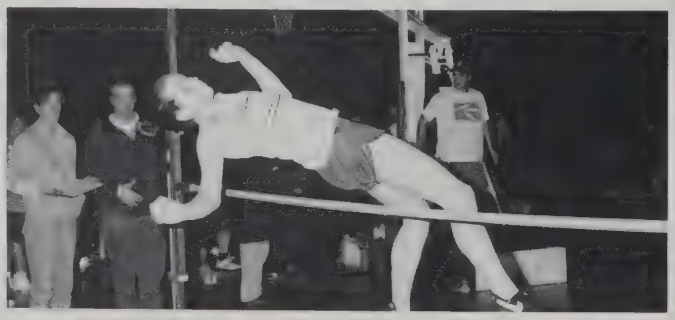
The Lady Warriors finished third in the South Coast Conference this year behind the Lakers from Apponequet and arch-nemesis Dighton Rehoboth. Although this was not as strong of a performance as seen in years past, there were still many great performances. Junior Cristina Nardozzi captured Seekonk High School's high jump record leaping 5'4", while Captain Michaela Bradley took the 600-meter record. Also leading the team included senior captains Kelley Hayes who ran hurdles, and Carol Geddes who continually took first in the two mile run.

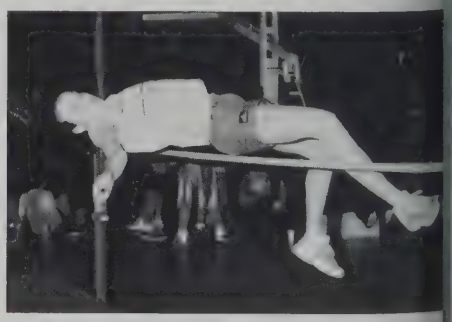
The future of the Lady Warriors continues to look bright however with the return of Nardozzi and numerous other talented underclassmen. This crop includes Lindra Drohan, Sherri Korlacki, and Jill Roberts. With such leadership next year's team will again be looking to shoot for the top of the SCC.

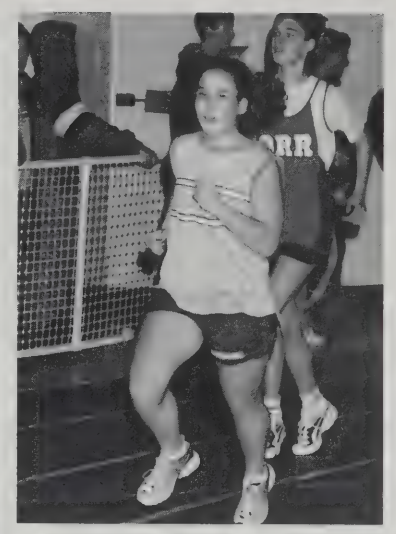












"Despite all its difficulties, we still had an excellent season."

- Kelley Hayes

Top Row: Coach Matt Benson, Tracy Derham, Elizabeth Dumont, Eva Schindler, Carol Geddes, Beth Reitman, Cristina Nardozzi, Lauren Foisy, Michaela Bradley, Kelley Hayes, Rebecca J. Horton, Jamie Weyker, and Coach Paul Stringham.
Second Row: Caitlin O'Grady, Shannon Creamer, Kate Texeira, Tracey Hayes, Maggie Moy, Michelle Lopes, Jenn Murtha, Aja Bairos, and Kara Manchester.
Bottom Row: Linda Drohan, Lowina Sham, Elaine Hom, Jackie Totolo, Jill Roberts, Laura Chianese, Rachelle Gousie, and Sherri Korlacki.

Scoreboard

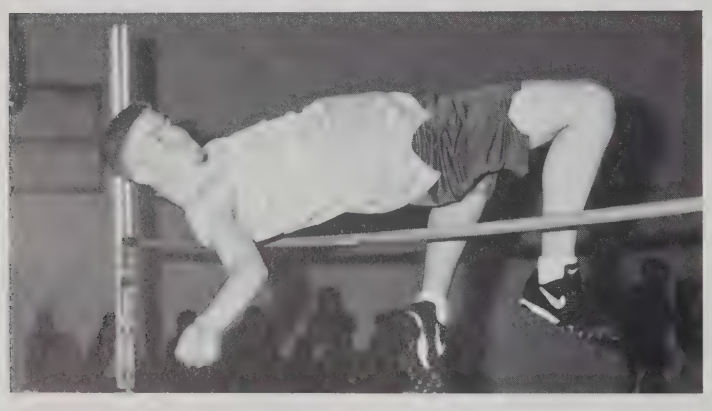
Seekonk	47-39	Old Rochester
Seekonk	56-32	Fairhaven
Seekonk	68-18	Diman Voke
Seekonk	24-62	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	15-71	Apponequet
Seekonk	70-16	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	41-45	Wareham

SCC Relays	3rd
Class D Relays	8th
SCC Championship Meet	3rd
Class D Meet	8th

Crack Eats Bugs

This year's Boys Indoor Track team finished up the season with a 7-0 record in the SCC and the conference championship once again was won by Seekonk. There is no stopping this powerful Seekonk track tradition, not even the loss of some key seniors from seasons past. The team was led by seniors Rob Welch, Brent Poliquin, Bob Mullen, Matt McCartin, Josh Doktor, Glen Morin and last but not least, the 1999 National Shot Put Champ, Jeff Chakouian, who took second at nationals this year.

The Warriors lost their great coach Gary Seal to retirement and was replaced by Coach Paul Stringham. Next year's team looks to be just as powerful, but may struggle without the efficiency they've had throughout this season. The team will be led by Tom Allison, Ben Mello, Jeremy Thibodeau, and Ryan Kerr. Congratulations guys on another fine season.



"Every year I have competed in Seekonk track we have been one of the best teams in the state. This is by choice not by chance. To be number one you have to train like you're number two."

- Jeff Chakouian

Top Row: Coach Matt Benson, Glenn Morin, Matt McCartin, Josh Doktor, Dave Boisvert, Rob Welch, Jeff Chakiouan, Kyle Peterson, Bob Mullen, Jimmy Appleton, Brian Ferrara, Brent Poliquin, and Coach Paul Stringham.
Second Row: Mike Grima, Eric Tessier, Russell Pickett, Ryan Kerr, Anthony Nardozzi, Tom Allison, Steve Ferrara, Jeremy Thibodeau, Chris Mulligan, and Chris Roy.
Bottom Row: Billy Carden, T.J. VanAhnen, Chris Brown, Brian Baptista, Shane Silva, Pat Deschamps, Phil Sullivan, and Tim Allison.

Scoreboard

Seekonk	66-19	Old Rochester
Seekonk	61-25	Fairhaven
Seekonk	51-35	Diman Voke
Seekonk	50-36	Dighton-Rehoboth
Seekonk	58-28	Apponequet
Seekonk	66-20	New Bedford Voke
Seekonk	48-38	Wareham

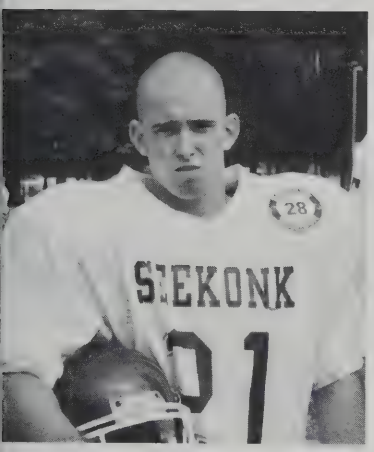
SCC Relays	2nd
Class D Relays	1st
SCC Championship Meet	2nd
Class D Meet	1st
Division II All-State Meet	4th

Sports Superlatives

Top Row: Tim Taylor, Tom Toppin, Jimmy Appleton, Bob Mullen, Brian Chianese, Jeff Chakouian, Matt McCartin, Courtney Denelle, Ryan Fletcher, Josh Doktor, Sara Schobel, and Beth Varone.
2nd Row: Glenn Morin, Becky J. Horton, Amy Blaisdell, Brent Poliquin, Steve Fantasia, Josh St.Germain, and Kyle Peterson.
3rd Row: Cathy Holden, Kelley Hayes, Maribeth Byrne, Ashley Kaplan, Kelli Murtha, Kerri Sullivan, Sarah Halpin, Sandra Burnock, Shannon Halpin, and Julie DaSilva.
Bottom Row: Jen Brown, Chrissy Sloyer, Kelley Crowley, Annette Perry, Jess Dumont, Kendra DeBrum, Jasmine Tirado, Carol Geddes, and Michaela Bradley.
Not Pictured: Jon Holden, Rob Welch, Mike Bairos, Billy Blinn, Elizabeth Forest, Brendan Jones, and Carmel Wills.

Jimmy Appleton	Baseball
Mike Bairos	Track
Amy Blaisdell	Volleyball/Softball
Billy Blinn	Golf/Basketball
Michaela Bradley	Soccer/Track
Jen Brown	Volleyball/Softball
Sandra Burnock	Swim
Maribeth Byrne	Swim
Jeff Chakouian	Track
Brian Chianese	Cross Country/Swim
Kelley Crowley	Soccer
Kendra DeBrum	Cheerleading
Julie DaSilva	Field Hockey
Courtney Denelle	Swim
Josh Doktor	Football
Jess Dumont	Cheerleading
Steve Fantasia	Tennis
Ryan Fletcher	Basketball
Elizabeth Forest	Tennis
Carol Geddes	Track
Sarah Halpin	Swim
Shannon Halpin	Volleyball/Basketball

Kelley Hayes	Track
Cathy Holden	Softball
Jon Holden	Basketball
Becky J. Horton	Cross Country/Softball
Brendan Jones	Football
Ashley Kaplan	Soccer
Matt McCartin	Soccer/Track
Glenn Morin	Football/Track
Bob Mullen	Cross Country/Track
Kelli Murtha	Field Hockey/Basketball
Annette Perry	Cheerleading
Kyle Peterson	Track/Tennis
Brent Poliquin	Track/Tennis
Sara Schobel	Soccer/Tennis
Chrissy Sloyer	Volleyball
Josh St.Germain	Tennis
Kerri Sullivan	Field Hockey
Tim Taylor	Tennis
Jasmine Tirado	Cheerleading
Tom Toppin	Baseball
Beth Varone	Softball
Rob Welch	Cross Country/Track
Carmel Wills	Field Hockey



Highlights

Shaq places second in the Nike Indoor Classic in the shot put with his best throw ever.

The team of Alysia Lee, Emily O'Connor, Jen Gagnon, and Courtney Denelle break the 200 yard freestyle relay record.

Boys Soccer competes in the State Tournament for the first time in school history.

Michaela Bradley sets record in the 600 m.

Field Hockey makes it to Semi-Finals once again.

Courtney Denelle breaks the school record in the 50 yard freestyle.

Shannon Halpin scores her 1000th career point.

Rob Welch breaks the course record in Cross Country.

Golf Team makes State Tournament as usual.

Boys Indoor Track wins Class D Meet for 4th straight year.

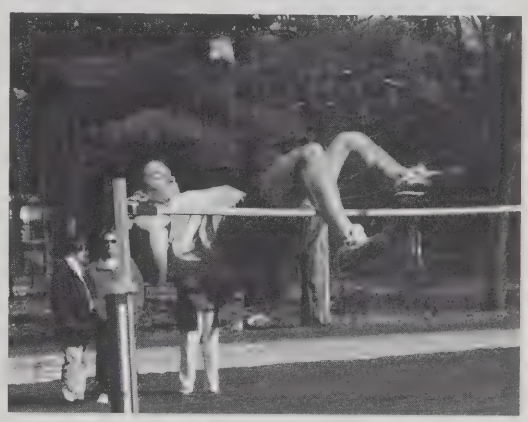
Girls Swim Team wins Southern C onference.

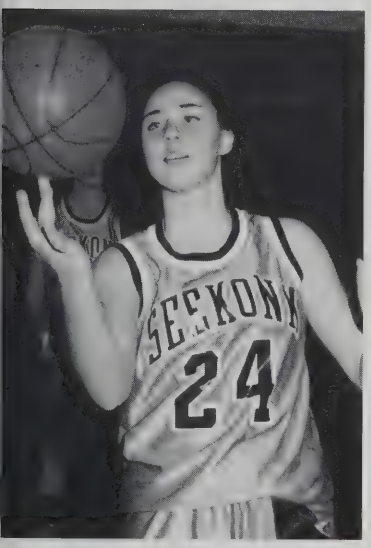
Boys Cross Country wins Class D Meet.

Ashley Kaplan rewrites Girls Soccer career goals, points, and single season scoring record.

Girls Cross Country wins South Coast Conference title.

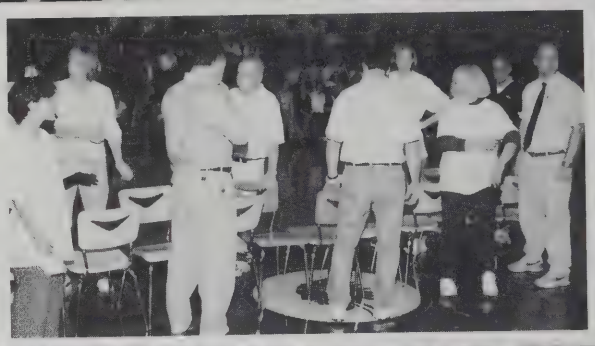
Cristina Nardozzi sets high jump record.

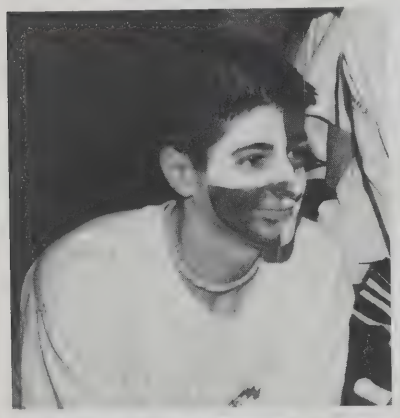


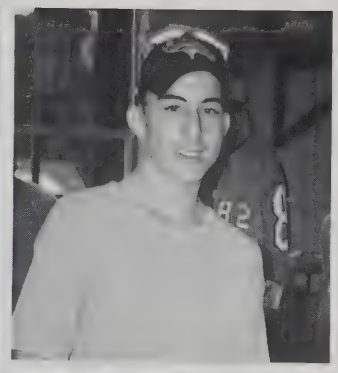


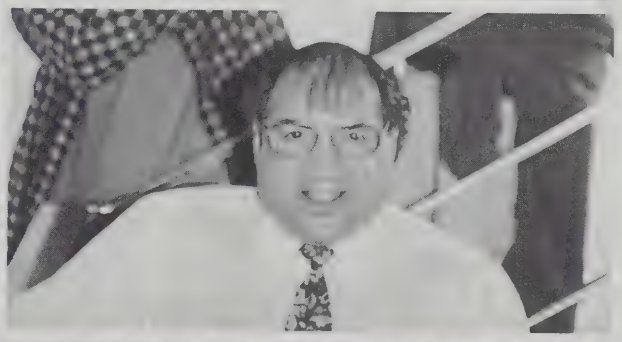
activities

With elaborate stage presentations, emergency X-Block meetings, and even town volunteerism, Seekonk students get involved in both their school and their community. From Drama to Math Team, Key Club to National Honor Society, Seekonk High has activities that offer each student an opportunity to display his or her Warrior Pride.



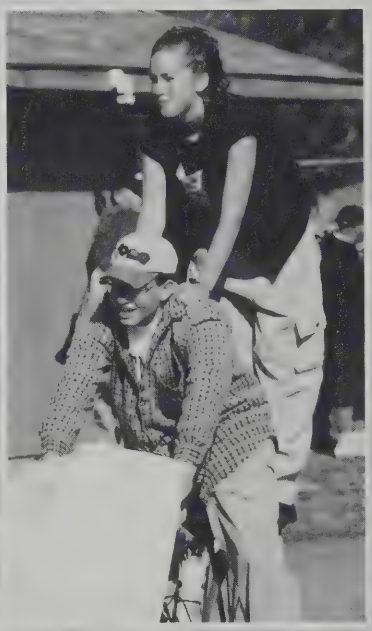


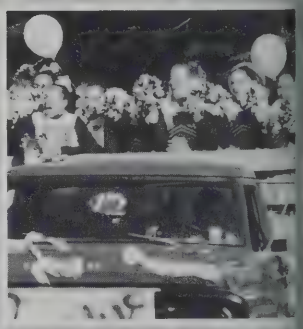




HOMECOMING 1999

What would homecoming be without a king and queen? Representing their classes on the field are (from left) Ryan McKinley, Tiana Leis, Kevin Fantasia, Emily Bradley, Brian Deverell, Mrs. Fletcher standing in for Flora Delis, Kelley Crowley, and Brian Oliveira.

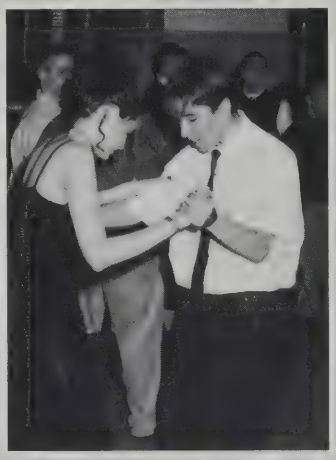


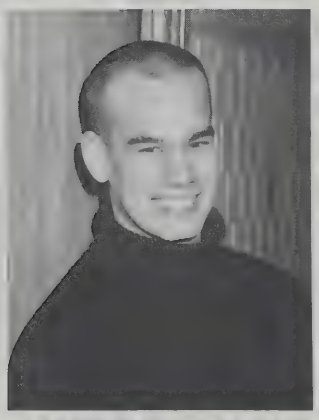


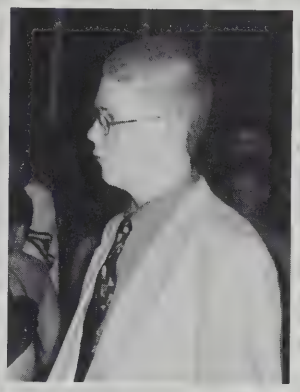
GO BIG BLUE!

Winter Ball

December 11, 1999







Yearbook

Once again under the command of Mrs. Simpson, this yearbook staff had the responsibility of producing a book as successful as those in years past. And with an entire class composed of seniors (save one!) you could assume that there would be profound dedication to the publication of the yearbook, but with more selfish ulterior motives! And so it began: Period E became synonymous with the term "controlled chaos." We've roamed the halls with cameras in tow, decorated ourselves with posters to advertise yearbook sales, and made phone call after phone call in search of advertisements. We've had surprise visits from Dr. Buchanan, celebratory breakfasts, deadline dilemmas, run-ins with the Cropping Crew, and a potential mutiny! In the end we all buckled down and got the work done (even those of us with senioritis!) and published a book that should be committed to memory here at Seekonk. To our lone experienced junior, good luck next year 'cause it looks like you're flying solo!

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"I would like to offer my sincere gratitude to all those who spent countless hours working together to produce a terrific culmination of our years here at SHS." - Patti

Top Row: Sara Schobel, Joe Mastropietro, Brian Chianese, Jon Holden, Jeff Chakouian, Stephen Fantasia, Mrs. Simpson
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3rd Row: Carol Geddes, Casey Cetenich, Michaela Bradley, Angela Tamburro, Kelli Murtha, Corinne Poirier, Ashley Kaplan, Josh St. Germain
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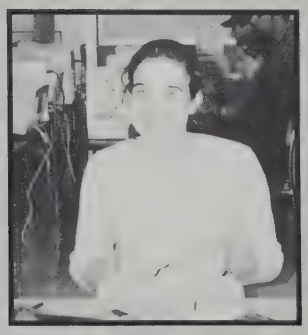

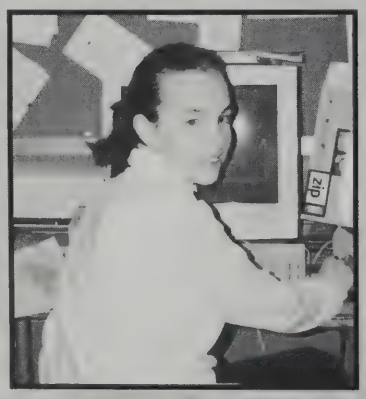

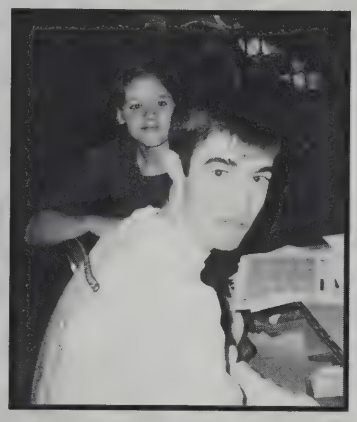

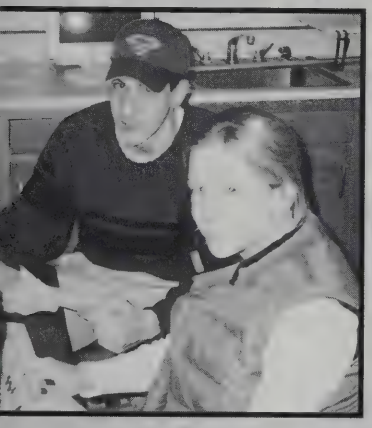
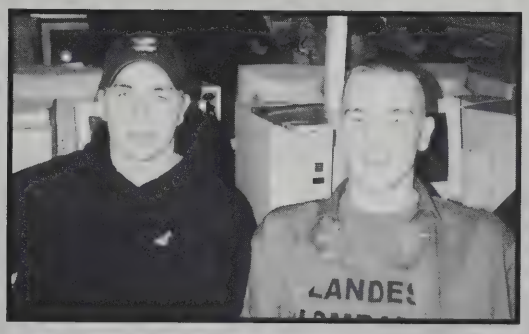
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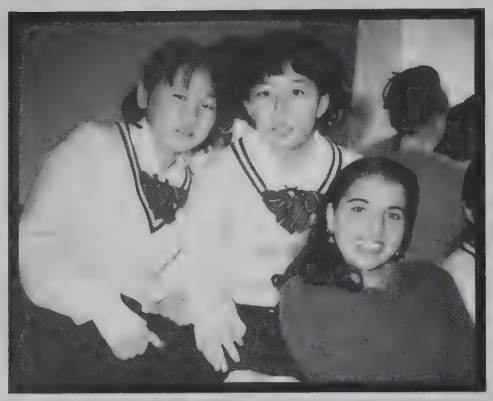
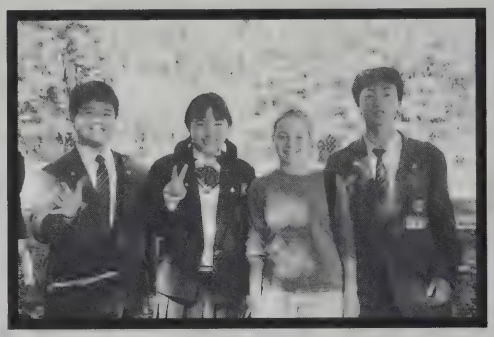
Japanese Exchange

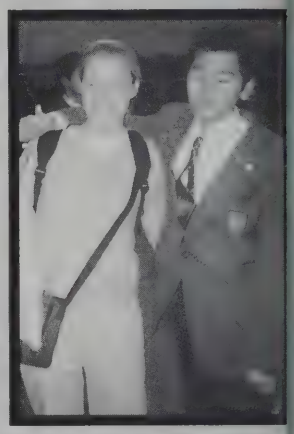
"The Japanese Exchange was a wonderful cultural experience which exposed us to a diverse way of life and allowed us to make friendships" -Ashley Kaplan

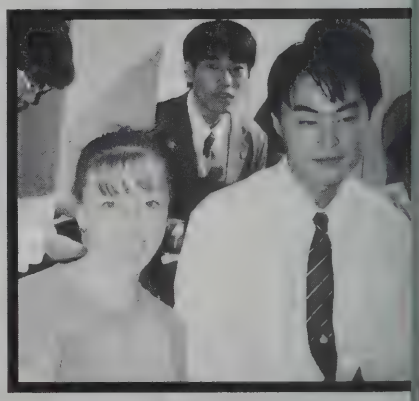


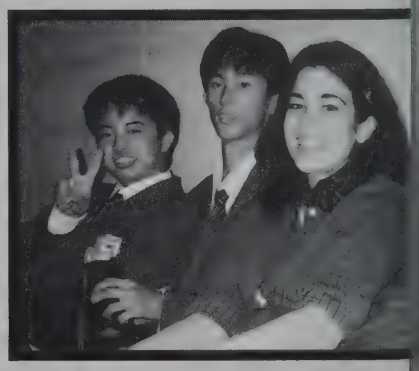


On November 1, 1999, about 400 high school students from Sakae Higashi High School came to visit S.H.S. The exchange of gifts and cultural information took place, as the high schools learned more about each other. The entire experience was extremely beneficial to all who participated, as we each left with life long friendships.

Coordinator: Mr. Frank Mooney.
Japanese Planning Committee: Palki Maheshwari, Allison LeClaire, Stephanie Cunha, Stephanie Cary, Maura Hart, Maribeth Byrne, Kelli Murtha, Abby Mulligan, Andrea Tepolt, Shannon Creamer, Jessica Enos, Emily Pereira, Angel Gomes,







Germany

"I went my sophomore year, and I had so much fun I had to go again." -Annette Perry

Advisor: Dr. Goyette

Chaperones:
Dr. Russell Goyette, Mr. Michael Petrucci, and Ms. Susan McDonough.

This year, students will be traveling abroad to Germany as part of an exchange program. The students in Germany, who once came here to stay with our students, will host them. The students will get to go to school with their host student, see historical sights, and get the opportunity to learn about the culture.

Top row: Dr. Goyette, Ashley Kaplan, Shannon Halpin, Abby Mulligan, Amanda Burns, Annette Perry.
Bottom Row: Andrea Tepolt, Bill Smith, Ben Chevrette, Josh Doktor, Ben Tabor, Ashley Roderick.

Washington Trip

"No Dough No GO!!" -Dr. Gil Woodside

Advisor:
Dr. Gil Woodside

Each year, during spring break, Dr Woodside, and about 182 students pile into a bus and head down to the Nation's Capitol. Through this trip students not only learn about the history of the United States government by visiting numerous museums and historic sites, but they also have the chance to get to know each other a little bit better.

Top Row: Shannon Rebello, Ruth Adler, Palki Maheshwari , Ryan Kerr, Tom Allison, Shannon Creamer, Tara Mastalerz, Sarah Zeitlan, Jeff Noble
2nd Row: Chris Denelle, Christine St. Pierre, Jessica Enos, Emily Pereira, Allison Leclaire, Tracy Derham, Stephanie Cary, Michael Rose, Jeremy Thibodeau.
3rd Row: Alex Blakeney, Tim Neuner, Egas Gomes, Kurt Tavares, Ashley Jutras, Christopher Chu, Amy Sanders, Jennifer Gagnon, Bill Smith
Bottom Row: Brian Oliveira, Dr. Woodside

Key Club

"Belonging to a group of so many wonderful, caring people giving of themselves has had such a positive effect of my life. With fundraisers, Breakfast with Santa, and Easter Egg Hunt, we really have made a difference. Great job guys!" - Patti Pickett

Top Row: Michelle Lopes, Kara Manchester, Aja Bairos, Michelle Cummings, Carol Geddes, Kristyn Jodat, Nicole Menard, Melissa Enwright, Amy Wollish, Eric Tessier, Tim Allison, Brandon Boucher
2nd Row: Stephanie Cunha, Peter Buckley, Shanna Poole, Cynthia Badway, Amy Storey, Mickaela Galvin, Jess Jones, Mathew O'Connell, Tom Crowley
3rd Row: Brian Ferrara, Zack Linton, Brook Kellerman, Casandra Aldsworth, Christie Bergeron, Viki Paquin, Sara Schobel, Brendan Jones, Jimmy Appleton
4th Row: Chrissy Sloyer, Mike McNulty, Mike Ferguson, Chris Romano, John Sousa, Lowina Sham, Michelle Lopes, Lisa Andrade, Hannah Davis, Kara Cabassa
5th Row: Kevin Bradley, Russel Pickett, Steve Ferrara, Billy Carden, Sean Condon, Michaela Bradley, Angela Tamburro, Elizabeth Forest, Meghan O'Connell, Linda Lopes, Lauren Armstrong
6th Row: Ryan Gibeau, Tom Allison, Allison Leclaire, Jess Enos, Stephanie Cary, Kelli Murtha, Rebecca Cordiero, Maura Hart, Jason Rogers, Jeff Noble, Christine Skurka
7th Row: Corey Kandarian, Amy Blaisdell, Jen Brown, Steve Heywood, Elizabeth Dumont, Shannon Creamer, Chris Denelle, Shannon Halpin, Lauren Kenyon, Cathy Holden, Lauren Foisy, Erin Groves
Bottom Row: Patti Pickett, Bob Mullen, Abby Mulligan, Becky Horton, Maribeth Byrne, Mike Rose, Ashley Jutras, Palki Maheshwari, Tim Taylor, Jeremy Thibodeau, Jenelle Heberlein, Sarah Kirchmann

Advisors: Mr. Fred Nelson and Mrs. Beverly Hart
Officers: Co-Presidents: Patti Pickett and Bob Mullen; Vice President: Abby Mulligan; Secretary: Maribeth Byrne; Treasurer: Rebecca J. Horton; Attendance: Amy Blaisdell; Due Collector: Kelli Murtha; Senior Representative: Stephanie Cunha; Junior Representative: Ashley Jutras; Sophomore Representative: Russell Pickett; Freshman Representative: Lauren Armstrong

The Key Club belongs to an international non-profit volunteer organization, the Kiwanis Family. Mrs. Beverly Hart, a Kiwanis member, is one of our club advisors, along with Mr. Nelson serving as our faculty advisor. The Key Club is an outreach establishment that functions solely for the improvement and benefit of the community. The most noted and important contribution is the fundraising contributions for the Iodine Deficiency Disorder fund. Along with this fund, many activities are performed annually such as the Easter Egg Hunt, the Breakfast with Santa, and the car show held for the benefit of the Seekonk community.

LEO Club

"Bringing the Lions Club pride and tradition to the high school has been an interesting, exciting, and fun-filled process. Raising money through canisters, raffles and such has made all of us, LEOs, feel very special. Leadership, experience, and opportunity – an assimilation of qualities that makes a difference in the world." -Brent Poliquin

Top Row: Christopher Denelle, Cathy Geddes, Billy Smith, Samantha Gorman, Ben Tabor, Sarah Gibbons, Ryan Fletcher, Brian Chianese
2nd Row: Linda Lopes, Melanie Pereira, Michelle Cummings, Eric Tessier, Tim Allison, Jimmy Appleton, Brandon Boucher, Steve Fantasia, Josh St. Germain
3rd Row: Lauren Smith, Michelle Lopes, Kevin Bradley, Stephen Ferrara, Mike McNulty, Angela Tamburro, Elizabeth Forest, Tim Taylor, Ruth Adler
4th Row: Dana Wilson, Abby Mulligan, Jessica Enos, Stephanie Cary, Kelli Murtha, Rebecca Cordeiro, Maura Hart, Anja Liebscher, Jeff Noble, Christine Skurka
5th Row: Stewart Carpenter, Rebecca Horton, Tom Allison, Ashley Jutras, Palki Maheshwari, Steve Heywood, Shannon Halpin, Lauren Kenyon, James Tavares, Ashley Kaplan
Front Row: Ben Clark, Ryan Gibeau, Chrissy Sloyer, Allison Leclaire, Dr. Woodside, Brent Poliquin, Brian Ferrara, Carol Geddes, Tracy Derham, Kyle Peterson, Brian Oliveira

Advisors: Dr. Woodside and Mrs. Debbie Warren
Officers: President: Brent Poliquin; Vice President: Brian Ferrara; Treasurer: Kyle Peterson; Secretary: Carol Geddes; Board: Tracy Derham, Allison LeClaire, Chrissy Sloyer; Tail Twister: Rob Welch; Lion Tamer: Rebecca J. Horton

In its inaugural year, The Leo Club has become one of the largest clubs in the school, with over sixty members. Focusing on raising money for charities and community members, the Leo Club is a worthwhile organization that gives back to its community.

"GO LEO CLUB"

Paper Cuts

"Despite a very long couple of months it was well worth it in the end." -Shannon Halpin

Advisor:
Ms. Nancy Kelly

Officers: Editor-in Chief: Shannon Halpin; Art Editor: Kelly Patterson; Assistant Art Editor/Photography: Kelley Crowley; Technical Editor: Adam Amaral; Technical Support/Graphics: Chris Roy; Production Manager: Jacklyn Totolo; School-Wide Editor: Samantha Gorman

Paper Cuts is a group of students, who collect, vote upon, and accept submissions of writing from other students, as well as submitting their own work. Their goal is to publish a literary magazine containing works and artwork by the students for the students. This literary magazine enables students to see their own work published and to gain an appreciation for creativity and literature.

Top Row: Ms. Kelly, Shannon Halpin, Ben Chevrette, Tom Allison, Stephen Williams, Natalie Ferland
2nd Row: Adam Amaral, Kelley Crowley, Roselyn DeSenna, Samantha Gorman, Nichole Amaral
Bottom Row: Angelica Vanasse, Jackie Totolo, Melanie Pereira, Roy Dunn

Newspaper

"I had many freshmen this year, and they were great – always ready to get started on new stories or to try something different." – Mrs. Simpson

Advisor:
Mrs. Julia Simpson

Student reporters produce *The Warrior*, a quarterly student newspaper, and the *SHS Parent Newsletter*, a bi-monthly newsletter that is mailed to the parents of all high school students and Seekonk Middle School eighth graders. Students get a chance to learn the basics of news and feature writing and produce their own publications. The focus is on featuring stories about Seekonk High activities and student personalities.

Top Row: Ashley Lantagne, Justin Viveiros, Brooke Bergeron, Shannon Halpin, Shawn Amaral, Mrs. Simpson.
2nd Row: Ashley Nicholson, Katie Swallow, Sheena Senecal, Frank Pollock, Cyndi Anderson, Melissa Tameo.
Bottom Row: Abby Mulligan, Tracey Hayes, Meghan O'Brien, Kelley Hayes.

Math Team

"I like π @ Seekonk High!" -Brian Ferrara

Advisor:
Dr. Phyllis Dupere

The math team, composed of SHS's mathematical elite, competes against area high schools in the quest for mathematical superiority. When they are not solving complex mathematical equations, the Math Team worked on making and selling Seekonkopoly, a fun new family board game, as their fundraising efforts.

Txop Row: Michael Auclair, Brent Poliquin, Tim Silverman, Ben Clark, Peter Kirchmann, Brian Baptista, Dr. Dupere
2nd Row: Mathew O'Connell, Alex Blakeney, Curtis Ruckel, Brian Ferrara, Gregory Smith
Bottom Row: Carol Geddes, Elaine Hom, Casandra Aldsworth, Sarah Kirchmann

Science Club

'Having been involved in the club for the last four years we have seen it evolve into something new and exciting." – Sarah Kirchman and Jenelle Heberlein

Advisor:
Mr. Alan Stockdale

Student Officers:
Sarah Kirchmann and Jenelle Heberlein

The Science Club is a large group of students who participate in field trips, help with the science fair, and some students will compete in competitions. These trips involve various science-related activities.

They take field trips to places including the Boston Aquarium, the Museum of Science, Purgatory Chasm, and indoor rock climbing.

Top Row: Mr. Stockdale, Melissa Rijo, Derek Durant, Jeff Noble, Ricardo Parente, James Asermely, Nikolas Lima, Tim Silverman
2nd Row: Abby Mulligan, Amy DeCesare, Lauren Smith, Ben Clark, Anja Liebscher, Brian Baptista, Erin Heelan
3rd Row: Carol Geddes, Linda Drohan, Rebecca Horton, Amy Sanders, Emily O'Conner, Christine Skurka, Amanda Hebert, Amanda Burns, Kellie Leonard
Bottom Row: Meg O'Connell, Travis DeLange, Kevin Seccareccia, Jenelle Heberlein, Sarah Kirchman, Kyle Laprade, Greg Smith

Executive Board

"Being a part of the first ever executive board was a rewarding experience. We were fortunate to have an extremely successful year." -Kelley Crowley

Advisor:
Mrs. Linda Horton

Officers:
Chair Person: Ashley Kaplan; Members: Kelley Crowley, Ben Clark, Abby Mulligan, Patti Pickett

Top Row: Abby Mulligan, Mrs. Horton, Patti Pickett
Bottom Row: Kelley Crowley, Ben Clark, Ashley Kaplan

This year the Executive Board worked very hard to make helpful changes throughout the school. They introduced *The Big Brother & Sister* program to acclimate incoming freshman into the high school. Many fundraisers' were held by the board this year, including toys for tots, coins for Leukemia, and helping with the town Blood drive. During Spirit Week, they were lucky enough to have Grammy nominated Bill Harley perform .

Student Forum

"It's a great experience and a good way to express ideas about the school system and possibly change and improve specific areas." – Chrissy Sloyer

Advisor:
Dr. Raleigh Buchanan

Officers:
President: Jeff Noble

Top Row: Keith Terry, Nicole Menard, Steven Ferrara, Christine Skurka, Sean Condon, Billy Carden
2nd Row: Emily Pereira, Jessica Enos, Ben Clark, Jeff Noble
Bottom Row: Bob Mullen, Patti Pickett, Sarah Kirchmann, Kelley Crowley, Chrissy Sloyer

Members of the Student Forum meet with Dr. Buchanan and Mr. Hurley at the middle school once a month, to discuss issues involving the school system. Student Forum members are in grades ranging from 6th to 12th grade. They provide student views of important educational issues to the administration, and they try their best to improve not only the high school but the rest of the town as well.

Trinity Ambassadors

"Drama is life with the dull bits out." -Alfred Hitchcock

Advisor:
Ms. Nancy Kelly

Officers: Becky Joiner, Ben Clark, Sam Gorman, Cathy Geddes, Sarah Gibbons, Christine Mullen and Melissa Tameo

Trinity Representatives consist of a group of students who attend all the performances at Trinity Repertory Theater, where they watch the show and later talk with representatives to better understand the performance. The goal of the Trinity Rep is to help students learn and appreciate theater.

Top Row: Christine Mullen, Rebecca Joiner, Ms. Kelly, Samantha Gorman, Sarah Gibbons
2nd Row: Cathy Geddes
Bottom Row: Ben Clark

Youth Alive

"For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, Plans to prosper you and not to harm you. Plans to give you hope and a future." -Jeremiah 29:11

Advisor:
Dr. Woodside

Officers:
President: Rebecca Joiner; Vice President: Ruth Adler

The students who form the Youth Alive club are devote Christians who discuss everyday issues and relate them to the Bible. They partake in the nation-wide program called "See You at the Pole" through which students gather around a flag pole, holding hands praying.

Dr. Woodside, Rachel Brask, Rebecca Joiner, Ruth Adler

Drama Club

"We are a team. We will survive." -Mrs. Kochanek

Advisors:
Susan Kochanek and Dennis Kochanek
Student Officers:
Student Director (Script): Beth Brown; Student Director (Back Stage): Ashley Rainey; Student Director (Sound & Lights): Doug Metz

The serious Thespians of SHS, the Drama Club is one of the most dynamic groups in the school. Using their creative skills and stage presence, they have performed wonderful shows since its rejuvenation three years ago. They have made Grease the word around town, took us down the yellow brick road, and this year they took us back to the *Nifty Fifties.*

Top Row: Mike McCaffrey, Curtis Ruckel, Sara Provost, Louisa Sham, Adele Norton, Brittany Botelho, Amy Hubbard.
2nd Row: John Mulligan, Abigail Bense, Katie Swallow, Michael Ferguson, Elaine Hom, Ashley Slading, Christine Mullen.
3rd Row: Andrea Alaownis, Kelley Crowley, Ben Clark, Beth Brown, Ashley Rainey, Kelly Everett, Erin Blackbird, Samantha Gorman.
Bottom Row: Sarah Halpin, Kristyn Jodat, Mrs. Kochanek, Kristen Lee, Ashley Kaplan, Brook Kellerman.

GSA

""First they came for the Jews and no one said anything. Then they came for the Italians and no one said anything. Then they came for the homosexuals and no one said anything. Then they came for the Protestants and no one said anything. Then they came for me. And no one said anything."

Advisor:
Mrs. Janice Noble

The Gay/Straight Alliance works to gain tolerance and acceptance among the student body. The GSA meets weekly to discuss issues such as acts of harrassment and teasing within the building. They also develop strategies to deal with these situations and to spread understanding. They also attend the annual Department of Education Conference.

Top Row: Mrs. Cathy Perry, Mrs. Nelson, Shannon Halpin, Stephen Williams, Sarah Gibbons, Ashley Kaplan, Emily Bradley, Mrs. Noble
Bottom Row: Kelley Crowley, Kerri Sullivan, Abby Mulligan, Sam Gorman

Work Study

"Live for today, prepare for tomorrow!" -Mr. Rubin

Advisor:
Mr. David Rubin

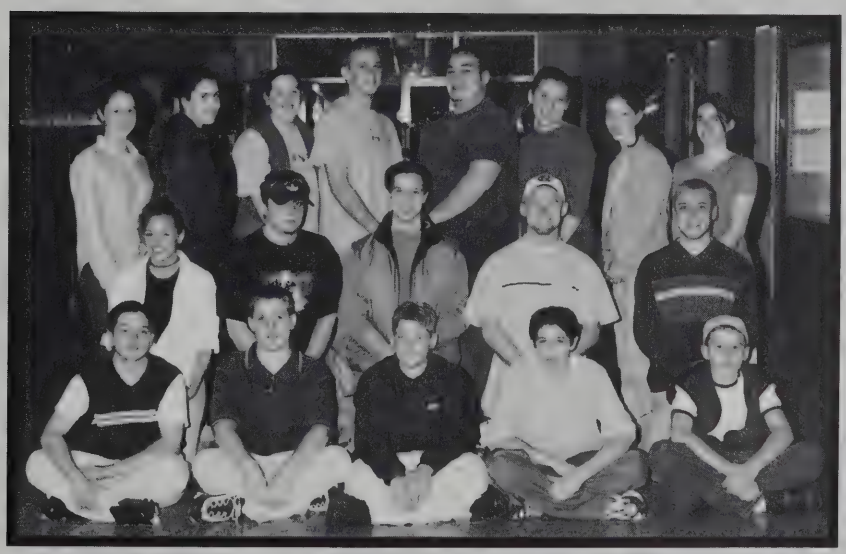
Work Study is a program designed for students interested in gaining valuable work experience while continuing their high school education. The course focuses on preparing students for life after high school. Topics include resume and portfolio preparation, career choice and understanding personal finances, as well as many other contemporary issues.

Top Row: Mr. David Rubin
Middle Row: Shane Pollock, Adam Saleeba, Chris Ayers, Paul Cooney
Bottom Row: Dan Silverman, Joe Kogut, Steve Borges, Anabela Correia, Jeff Hoague

STV News

"STV News ... it's bigger than us all." -Mr. Crippen

Advisor:
Mr. Fred Crippen



The students on the STV News crew learn how to work with the camera and other television equipment. They produce the school news, which comes out about every two weeks. The reporters interview their fellow students about their opinions on current events at SHS. Certain segments of STV News are accompanied by guest appearances by Mr. McGruff, the highly acclaimed investigative news reporter.

Top Row: Emily O'Conner, Erin Blackbird, Ashley Lantagne, Tom Crowley, Jeff Chakouian, Cassie Katon, Emily Bradley, Abby Mulligan.
2nd Row: Lauren Smith, Ryan Mulhall, Chris Federico, Glenn Morin, Billy Smith.
Bottom Row: Justin Perry, Donald Monroe, Simon O'Lean, Lisa Mastropietro, Steve Richardson.

Concert Band

" Music is a gift that is meant to be shared with others. These students work hard to improve their abilities each day." -Mrs. Grande

Advisors:
Mrs. Sue Grande

Student Officers:
President:
Steve Alaownis;
Vice President:
Ashley Benson

The music program lives at SHS, as the members of the band practice hard in preparation for their spectacular performances. Each year, concert band enthusiasts can look forward to the band's participation at the annual Christmas and Spring concerts, and also at the graduation ceremony. In addition to their school performances, the band also performs at the Swansea Mall, Seekonk Commons, The Arcade, Bristol Veterans Home, and Pawtucket Red Sox games.

Top Row: Ashley Benson, Steve Fantasia, Ryan Mulhall, T.J. Monroe, James Asermely, Mrs. Grande, Stewart Carpenter, Justin Viveiros, Jonathon Mulligan, Brittany Botelho.
2nd Row: Ashley Hunson, Jessica Pilkington, Christina D'Amico, Kristin Lee, Lori Duell, Andrea Alaownis, Elaine Hom.
Bottom Row: Amy Hubbard, Ryan McKinley, Steve Alaownis, Gregory Smith, Kevin Seccareccia, Eric Monroe.

Concert Choir

"Music is a unique, intrinsic, and expressive gift. Its beauty is meant to be shared with each and every soul." -Ms. Roderick

Advisor:
Ms. Karen Roderick

Section Leaders:
Soprano: Vanessa Ralph;
Alto: Christina Perry;
Baritone: Chris Fletcher

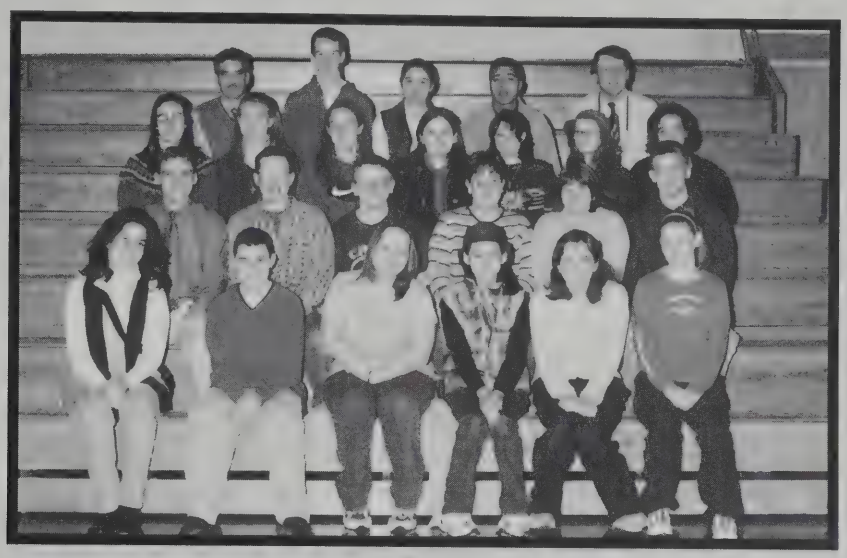
The Concert Choir has 2-3 in house concerts per year. They have numerous performances in and around the community in places such as the Swansea Mall, The Arcade, Seekonk Commons, O.P.E.L. (Older People Enjoying Life), Council on Aging, and the Happy Go Luckies. They were named the official choir of the Seekonk Vietnam Veterans Memorial Foundation, Inc.

Top Row: Ms. Roderick, Abigail Bense, Kelly Bense, Meagan Maloney, Kristina Lopes, Meghan Carlin, Joy Stafford, Shanna Poole, Cinc Badway, Kristina Perry, Ethan Marsh, Dustin Humphrey, Devin Handy, Rebecca Joiner, Kim Campbell, Sara Provost.
2nd Row: Sandra Burnock, Sarah Halpin, Emily Marques, Jen Mayers, Stacy Vieira,Tracy Barbeiro, Sarah Pouliot, Stacey Pierini, Heathe Baron, Rachel Romano.
Bottom Row: Elaine Hom, Josie Fiero, Amanda Whitelaw, Rebecca Lema, Tarah Dubuc, Lauren Armstrong, Heather Cleary, Amanda Hubbard, Andrea Alaownis.

Mock Trial

"Mock Trial is a great way to learn more about our judicial system and have a lot of fun while doing so. I am very proud to be apart of such a memorable activity. Thanks Guys!" -Dana Jennings

Advisors:
Mr. Ron Ridolfi
and
Mr. Michael Callaghan



The law firm of Callaghan/ Ridolfi and Associates actively participates in simulated trials that enable them to learn more about the judicial system. Each student involved in the program is provided with case materials, with which they prepare for competitions against area high schools.

Top Row: Mr. Ridolfi, Russell Pickett, Casandra Aldsworth, T.J. Monroe, Mr. Callaghan.
2nd Row: Sandra Burnock, Sarah Halpin, Rachel Bask, Christine Mullen, Samantha Gorman, Cathy Geddes, Melissa Tameo
3rd Row: Curtis Ruckel, Ben Clark, Michael Auclair, Sarah Kirchmann, Jenelle Heberlein, Tom Allison.
Bottom Row: Stephanie Cunha, Chris Desrochers, Dana Jennings, Elaine Hom, Brooke Kellerman, Erinn Larkin

Independent Study

"Independent Study is a great way to learn about your future and be in the 'real world' at such a young age...It's more than an internship, it's a life changing event!!!" -Steve Heywood

Advisor:
Mr. Omer Leclerc

One may wonder why he or she occasionally sees seniors leaving the school. Are they skipping? Some of them probably are; however, most of them are going off to spend a day in the real world. These students are involved with the Independent Study Program, through which they receive a beneficial hands-on experience in a field of their choice.

Top Row: Ben Chevrette, Christina DiLustro
2nd Row: Brooke Bergeron, Steve Heywood, Stephanie Cunha, Abby Mulligan
3rd Row: Steve Alaownis, Sarah Kirchmann, Rebecca Cordeiro
Bottom Row: Andrea Tepolt, Patti Pickett

Peer Mediation

"It's a great program because it helps you learn how to deal with people." -Dustin Loiselle

Advisors:
Mr. Frank Mooney
and
Mrs. Janice Noble

This team of dedicated students works together to mediate conflicts between students and help them use nonviolent means to come to an agreement. They work hard throughout the year as they practice by role playing, meeting with classes on certain issues, and presenting the Yellow Dress program, which focuses on dating violence.

Top Row: Dustin Loiselle, Mike Rose, Zachary Spiker, Josh Doktor, Michael Auclair, Marco Correia, Christopher Romano, Jay Emond
2nd Row: Chrissy Sloyer, Jess Moniz, Vanessa Viveiros, Desiree Pombo, Amy Storey, Kendra DeBrum
Bottom Row: Abby Mulligan, Corinne Latraverse, Melissa Enwright, Jenelle Heberlein, Sara Sisson, Lauren Armstrong

National Honor Society

"While others may talk about how it is an honor to be in the National Honor Society, all I have to say it that it's good for the fieldtrips and free food." -Rob Welch

Advisor: Mrs. Lacy

Student Officers:
President: Brent Poliquin; Vice President: Rob Welch; Secretary: Michaela Bradley; Treasurer: Brian Ferrara

The National Honor Society promotes leadership and scholarship in our school. They compete against area schools in the honor bowl, raise money for the Providence Journal Santa Fund, and implement a tutoring program.

Top Row: Sarah Kirchman, Maribeth Byrne, Jason Rogers, Christine Sloyer, Kyle Peterson,
2nd Row: Jenelle Heberline, Carol Geddes, Rebecca Horton, Ashley Kaplan, Stephanie Cunha
3rd Row: Steven Alowonis, Sandra Burnock, Sarah Halpin, Sara Schobel, James Appleton
4th Row: Shannon Halpin, Maura Hart, Michaela Bradley, Brent Poloquin, Brian Ferraria
Bottom Row: Robert Welch, Mrs. Lacy
Not Pictured: Kelley Crowley, Ryan Fletcher, Rebecca Joiner, Abby Mulligan

French Honor Society

"C'est la vie." -Maribeth Byrne

Advisor:
Mrs. Joanne Lacy

Student Officers:
President: Maura Hart; Vice President: Carol Geddes; Secretary: Maribeth Byrne; Treasurer: Brent Poliquin

La Societe Honoraire de Français is composed of the créme broule of French students. Each member has achieved an average of 90 or better for 2 ½ years of French and must maintain that average to remain in this elite group. They direct much of their fundraising efforts towards scholarships for the senior members of the society.

Top Row: Todd Kolek, Alex Blakeney, Mrs. Lacy
Bottom Row: Jason Rogers, Brent Poliquin, Maura Hart, Carol Geddes
Not Pictured: Maribeth Byrne, Tarah Debuc, Sarah Halpin

Spanish Honor Society

"Perdoname, Perdoname Rosario!" -Don Fernando

Advisor:
Mr. Robert Hartley

Student Officers:
President: Stephanie Cunha; Vice-President:Jason Rogers; Treasurer: Brian Ferrara; Secretary: Sarah Halpin

To the students of La Sociedad Honorario Hispanica, life is one big 'fiesta.' While maintaining an average of 90 or better in at least 2 ½ years of Spanish, these students have proved to be the 'Big Chalupas' among Spanish students. They have endured 'Destinos' and many of Sr. Hartley's cheesy Spanish jokes.....Mantequilla?!

Top Row: Jason Rogers, Brian Ferrara, Ashley Kaplan, Michael Rose, Lisa Andrade, Rachel Brask, Brooke Kellerman, Señor Hartley
Bottom Row: Marco Correia, Stephanie Cunha, Ruth Adler, Christine St. Pierre, Kelly Crowley
Not Pictured: Maribeth Byrne, Sarah Halpin, Pakli Maheshwari, Jeffery Noble, Jessica Cabral, Steve Ferrara, Beth Karbowski, Nicole Menard, Steven Surette

Congradulations Class of 2000!

"You never really leave a place or a person you love. Part of them you take with you, leaving a part of yourself behind."
-Anonymous

To the members of the Class of 2000, I extend a well-deserved and heartfelt congratulations for your achievements, both academically and athletically, over the past four years.

I am proud to bear witness to the fine young men and women you have become. I am confident you will begin the new century with much success, and go on to make a positive contribution to the world at large as you utilize the skills and experiences you have attained at Seekonk High School. You have made your parents proud, your teachers proud, and your school proud. I am honored to have been a part of your lives during this time.

Beyond your academic and athletic successes, however, the Class of 2000 possesses another quality which is endearing and unique. As a group you are a wonderfully warm, kind, caring and friendly class. You have created strong friendships and relations amongst yourselves, and staff members as well. I can only hope you carry that quality which will allow you to develop, foster and nurture human relations far beyond your days at Seekonk High School.

Once again, I congratulate you, praise you, and wish you the very best life has to offer.

Russell E. Goyette, Ed.D.
Principal

You won't lag behind, because you'll have the speed.
You'll pass the whole gang and you'll be the best of the best.
Wherever you go, you will top all the rest.
-- Dr. Seuss

Liz,

From the moment you were born, you have been a great joy! We are so proud of all your accomplishments!

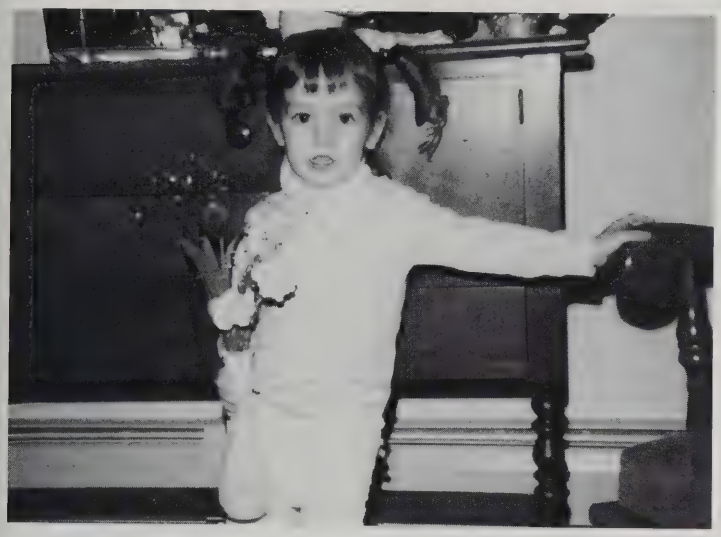
Love,
Mom and Dad

Christina,
We are very proud of you! We wish you the best of luck in all your endeavors in life.
We Love You!
Dad, Mom,
Stephen Jr. & Paul

"And if we lose our way, any night or day, well we'll always be where we should be, I'm there for you & I know you're there for me."
-- A.G.

Stephen,
I want you to know that no matter where I go or what I do, I will never forget our friendship. You know me better than anyone. Thank you for all the memories. Don't let me lose you ... ever. Good luck and have a blast!
Love always,
Chrissy

Lel-a-bel,
We've had our ups & downs over the years , but I thank God every day that you've been my friend. I love you so much! If you ever need me I'm here. Never let me forget you!
Love always,
Chris-me



Patty,

From the first graduation cap to now,
and everything in between, you have grown
in so many ways
and accomplished so many things.
You are a beautiful young lady with much to offer.
We are very proud of you.
May your future be filled with joy and happiness.

With all our love,

Mom, Dad
and Russell

Good Luck! PMA

Rebecca,
The littlest child won the fishing derby against all odds. Through the years, hard work and determination have brought you much success and pride in yourself. May your vision and enthusiasm continue to bring you happiness the rest of your life.

Love and Pride,
Mom & Dad

Rebecca,
Hey, you finished on your own and are making people's heads turn with all that you are accomplishing. So keep going strong, don't stop excelling, but always remember where you came from.

Your brother,
Walter IV

Brian,
For all you are, and all that you will be, we wish you success, good health, happiness and love.
We are very proud of you.

Loving you always,
Mom, Dad and Laura

Ashley,

Congratulations! We are very proud of you!

Love,
Mom and Dad

Kerri,

We are all proud of you. You have come so far and we know you will accomplish whatever you choose to do in life.

Love,
Mom, Randi and Philip

For Eva Marie

Six months old, full of life -- what's coming ?
Cologne forever? Oh no, you moved to
London and Berlin -- always finding your way,
making friends, successful at school

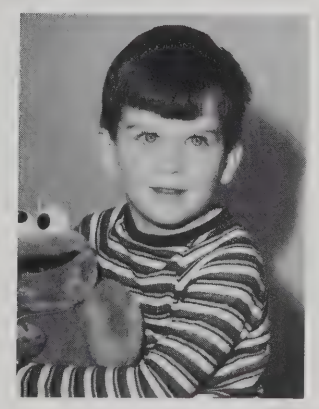
You've become this outstanding young girl
living abroad -- full of dreams and plans
but very much down to earth
You fill our hearts and lives with joy
and make us proud

May God bless your future.
Love, congratulations and looking forward to having you back home.
Mom, Dad, Luisa and Janis

Chrissy,
From our adorable "little princess"
To the beautiful young woman
you have become,
we're so very proud of you!
Be Happy & Enjoy Life's Journey!

We Love You,
Mom, Dad & Dave

Carol,
You're
a blessing!
With love and pride,
Mom, Dad
and Cathy



Congratulations
Stewart,
Since that first day of school, you have grown in so many ways. We are very proud of you. Best of luck in your future endeavors.

Mom & Dad
Joe & Mary Ellen

Angela,

We laughed with you, played with you,
Watched you with pride…
We talked with you, learned with you,
Stood by your side…
We dreamed with you, grew with you,
All your days through…
And there's a world full of beauty
Waiting for you.
You can so you will.

Love,
Mom and Dad

Ange --

You've been there since before I can remember, and now it's hard. We've watched so many years go by, and we've grown into two completely different people, but we did it together. 'Cause when you let go of something so precious to let it grow on its own, there will always be a void. But no matter where you're going, and no matter where you're coming from, you'll always be my big sister. And for that I'm forever grateful.

I love you,
Gina

Congratulations, Brian!

We could not be any prouder of you and your accomplishments. We have enjoyed watching you grow from a caring, sensitive child into an outstanding young man. We can only wonder and look forward to what you will accomplish in the future. We wish you happiness and success always.

Love,

Mom, Dad, Steve and Lauren

Stephanie,

May your future bring you as much happiness as you have brought to our lives. We are very proud of the young woman you have become. Follow your dreams and believe in yourself and you can make anything happen.

God Bless You.

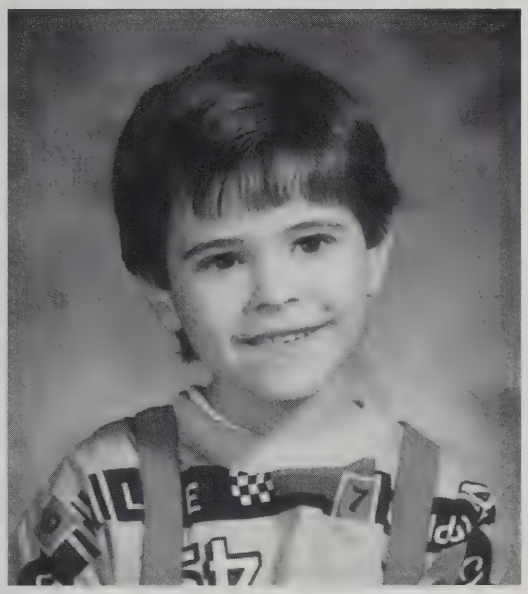
Love,
Mom & Dad

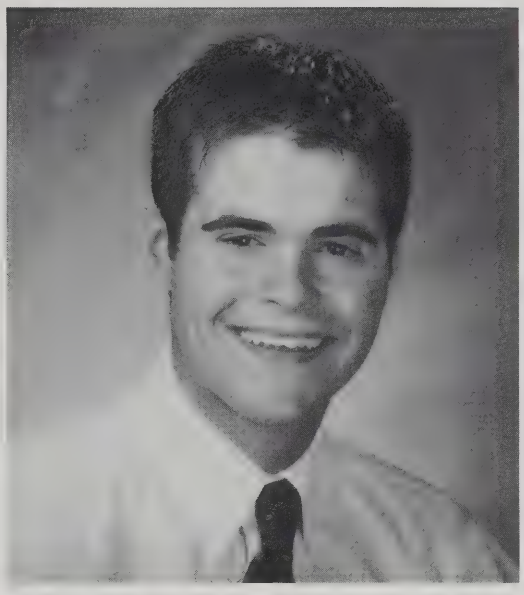
Stephanie,

I am proud to call you my sister and even prouder to call you my friend. I hope that graduation opens many opportunities for you and that you make the best of your college years.
Congratulations and Good Luck.

Brian

Through the Years...





We have enjoyed watching you grow.
We are very proud of the wonderful young man
you have become. Good luck in college.
Have fun and keep smiling.
We love you ,
Mom & Dad

Jimmy --

Every dream is within
your reach.
Shoot for the stars!
Congratulations on all you
have accomplished. I am so
proud of you Little Bro!
I love you!
Jen

Nicholi,

To my very special girl. May your compassionate heart be filled with peace throughout your lifetime.
I am so proud of you!
I love you,
Mom

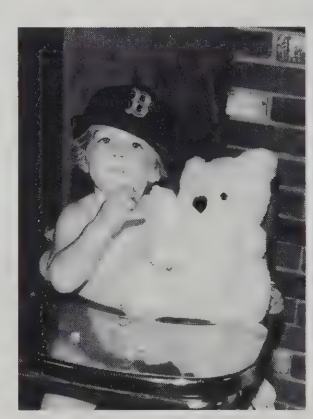
Elena,

These two things we know:
You'll always be your own person ...
And you'll always be one of us.

With much love,
Mom, Dad and Dave

Congratulations, Aaron!

It has been an absolute pleasure watching you become the person you are today.
Pursue your dreams –
Follow you heart –
Enjoy your life!
Love,
Mom and Dad



Jon,

To the child who grew into a man one fateful evening, mere words cannot express how very proud we are to call you "son and brother"!
Love always,
Mom, Dad,
Billy and Joshua

Congratulations Ryan,

Your past achievements have been outstanding. We know your future will be brilliant. We are so very proud of the wonderful young man you have become.
All Our Love,
Mom, Dad and David

Congratulations Jeff!

We are so very proud of you.
We love you.
Reach for the stars son ...
reach ... reach ... reach!
Love,
Coach Nanna, Mom, Dad,
Tabitha and Shakespeare

these youthful tears
roll down our cheeks
and splash into age
fallen from years past
gleaming towards what lies below
when they hit
surround us with memories
we become soaked in remembrance
damp we are with hurt
but reality holds no pain
cries seem to see the end
but just begun is this journey
through love we go on
from the sanctity of you
in the shelter of me
our life will never weep
so long as I am your brother
and you are my sister
-I love you Chrissy-
-Dave-

Andrea:

We are all very proud of the independent young woman you've developed into. Always know just how much we love you.
Mom, Dad and Ben

To all of my other little sisters, Murtha, Bethy, Maribeth, Kelley Crowley and Becky Ring:
I've seen you all go from little girls to beautiful women, and beautiful people. Congratulations on your graduation, good luck in college and always be happy.

Love,
Your Other Brother,
Dave Sloyer

Rebecca...
You are a daily ray of sunshine
in our home and family.
Your personal accomplishments have been many
-- Dance, soccer, softball, track, and field hockey.
Life offers you so many choices...
We look forward to your very bright future.
"A couer vaillant rein d'impossible." -- Henry IV

With Love and great pride,
Mom and Dad

Lots of love,
Gram

Congratulations Matt! ☺

We're so proud of you!
We wish you Success,
Good Health, Happiness
and Love on your Journey.
All our love,
Mom, Dad and Erik

To my sister Rebecca...

"For there is no friend like a sister
in calm or stormy weather;
to cheer one on the tedious way.
To fetch one if one goes astray.
To lift one if one totters down.
To strengthen whilst one stands."
-- Christina Rossetti

...Friends for life...
Love,
Ashley

Elizabeth,

It seems like only yesterday we brought you home from the hospital and here you are all grown up and graduating from high school. We are so proud of you…
We love you very much,

Mom, Dad and Kirstie

Eva,

We hope your stay in America was a memorable one. We enjoyed having you as our daughter and sister.
We love you,

Rick, Sue, Liz and Kirstie

Shannon,

Embrace life
in your own style
We will always be there
besides you.

Love,
Mom, Dad and Katie

Dear Sara,

May your sweet smile, kind efforts, and positive enthusiasm always remain with you. These traits are priceless and will ensure you a happy and successful life. Always maintain a healthy balance.

We Love You,
Mom and Paul

Kelley,

We are so proud of you!
We wish you much love,
happiness, good health
and success in life.
We love you and will
always be there for you.

Love,
Mom, Dad and Tracey

Congratulations, Billy!

May you enjoy good health,
happiness, love, and success
throughout your life!

Love always,
Mom, Dad,
Alysia, Valerie and Ashley

David
(our little Goolie),

You have made us
proud and given us
happiness. Be all that
you can be.
We'll love you always,
Mom, Dad
and Michael

Jenn,

Our little girl has grown
into a lovely
young woman.
We are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad and Jolie

"Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss you'll land among the stars."
Les Brown

'Lissa,

You have brought so much love and magic to our family.
We will love you always and forever.
Dad, Mom and Matt

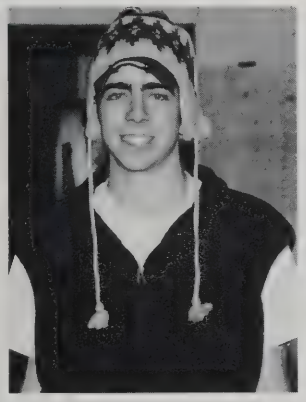
Congratulations,
Kelli!
May you find happiness
and success in
everything you do.
We're very proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Jenn
and Nana

Kelli,
You've been a
great sister and a
great friend.
Good luck and
I'll miss you!
Love,
Jenn

Brian,
To the "Best dressed," Best eyes, Best smile, Best heart, Best soul, Best son a parent could ask for! Follow your dreams!
Love You Forever,
Mom and Dad
You'll always be "King" in our house!
Love,
Lauren, Adam and Matthew

Abby,
You give us such joy.
We give you wings.
Now our joy is watching you fly.
Always remember your roots.
Be safe.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Hello America!
Anja, you have broadened our horizons and enriched our family. We are proud to say you are our German daughter.
Love,
Bill & Laurie



Rob,

YOU'RE TOPS!

Love
Mom, Dad, Jay,
Neil & Patricia

Beth,
You've worked hard and earned your success. Always keep your faith and believe in yourself. We love you and wish you happiness forever.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Dave

Congratulations Brent!!
From the young toddler that truly loved his "spot" to the wonderful, sensitive young man you've become, we wish you much health & happiness on your road to success. A "special spot" will always be in our hearts!
Love,
Mom, Bruce, Brae & Mari

Congratulations, Tim!

We are very proud of you!
"Think different."

Love,
Mom and Dad

"But I have promises to keep and miles to go before I sleep." -- Robert Frost

Abby,

Thank you for the promises you have kept and for bringing us along on the miles you have taken so far. We know you will do well on the rest of your journey.

With Love and Pride,
Mom & Dad

Congratulations, Gooche!

Good luck in school. I know you will do well. You are a good friend and a great sister. It has been lots of fun growing up with you.
Love,
Biz

Casey,

May your future bring you as much joy as you have always brought to us. We love you!

Dad, Mom, Steve & Jennifer

Erin,

We're proud of the young woman you have become. Shine brightly! The future is yours.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Patrick & Ryan

Maribeth,

From the time you were little, your determination and energy have kept us in awe! In school, in the pool, at the piano, and as a person, you have been "magical." You are 'the wind beneath our wings' and a lifetime of pride and joy. As you soar to new heights, we'll be cheering for you all the way!

We love you so very much,
Mom, Dad, Ryan, Julie and the Cats

"It is only with the heart that one can see rightly; what is essential is invisible to the eye."
-- Saint-Exupery

Maura,

You have a special gift of "seeing" with your heart; it is time for us to let you share it with others. We are so proud of you!

Love,
Mom, Dad and Meg

Congratulations, Maura!

You have become a terrific young lady and such a great role model for your two summer buddies!

Love,
Uncle Don, Will, Katie & Libbie

Maura,

Bubbly and always smiling ... our #1 granddaughter (our secret). Congratulations for a job well done.

Love,
Memere and Pepere Desrosiers

Maura,

We watched you shed your water wings and soar to new heights. Congratulations!

Love,
Honey and Bob

Congratulations
Jenelle!

We are very proud
of who you are and
what you have
accomplished.

Love,
Mom, Dad
& Grandma

Rebecca,
You have given us Joy and Love and
Happiness and Kindness as we watched you
grow to be such a wonderful young woman.
Congratulations!
Love,
Mom & Dad

Sarah,
You're our pride and joy!
Each day with you has been a celebration
of all the best that life has to offer!
Love,
Mom, Dad & Gram

Lauren,

When you were a baby, we wrote the following in your baby book:

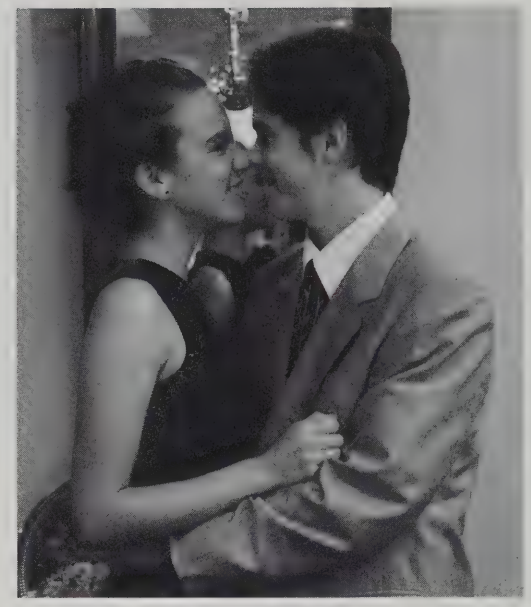
"We are amazed at how much you have grown in such a short time. We never tire of your antics and you are a constant source of entertainment. Your curiosity, cute smile, stubbornness, and determination comprise your unique personality.

You are the center of our lives. We treasure our short time with you. (Children grow up so fast.) You have given us a happiness we have never felt and have made Mommy and Daddy's life together complete."

Other than the addition of Jenna, which truly made us a family, the same is true today. We are proud of the way you have faced the challenges of your life and the lady you have become.

Congratulations, Princess!
Love,
Mom, Dad & Jenna

Bob,
"Destiny is not a matter of chance; it is a matter of choice. It is not a thing to be waited for; it is a thing to be achieved." - William Jennings Bryant
Love,
Dad, Mom & Christine



Bob,
"If I could reach up and hold a star for every time you've made me smile, the entire evening sky would be in the palm of my hand."
You have been my strength and my friend through everything. For that, I am forever grateful. I will always be here for you whenever you need me, always . .
Patti

Beth,
Congratulations and best of luck as you begin your climb to great success.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Michaela,
You've made us very proud. We love you and wish you much success.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Michaela,
Through the years you've been there for us. We love you, Kay. Have fun in college. We'll miss you.
Love,
Kev and Trish

"Congratulations"

Good Luck, Good Bye We say to you
your high school years have passed,
A tear or two with memories
We hope these memories last,
It isn't easy to leave your friends, for a
life that shall be new,
But we hope Success and Happiness will
find you in whatever you may do.

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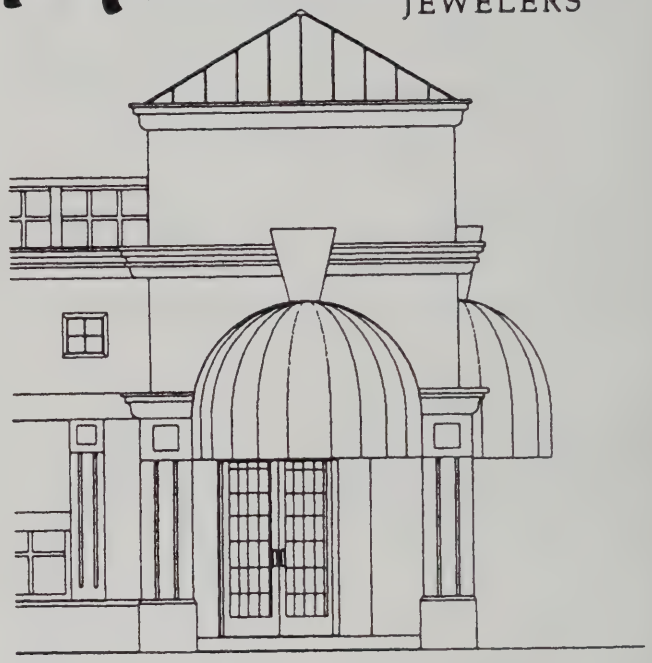

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To my girls - Elizabeth(LYLAS), Rebecca(Heeayy), Maura(Big Mo), Kayla, Corinne, Angela-Blonde Squad-tons of fun-Love you! Kelli- my girl always. Marissa, I'm taking you with me sweetie! Jeff-all that I can say ... xoxo70! Liz, Lauren, Ashley, Dustin, Alex- had a blast! Amy-Love u! Kevin-my other little brother! Stevie-I'll miss you more than anything! Jenny-always make me laugh-love you! "You never know when your making a memory" ~ Casey

"If I had a star for every time you made me smile, I would hold the whole night sky in my hands..." Much love, laughter, and stars to all my friends, especially MB, MH, RC, BC, LS, AL, AA, CP, JH, RG, EF, and KM. Decez, Karbo, Beth, Meggie, and Darlene, you guys make my day brighter. Too many laughs, so many smiles! Dutch: So many good times, where do I start? Keep your head up and never change! KEM: "A friend is a hand to pull you up from darkness and despair when all your other so-called friends put you there." Love you. Love you, Bubbie and Beth. - Court

To all of my friends who made my life that much better. Steve C., Kevin B., Alex D., Ryan G., and Tim N. - What would I do on the weekend without you?! Ashley-The sister that every guy wants. C.S.D. and KATIE M.-A guy, Two girls, and a SUBURBAN. Beth-Ann, Kelli, S.S., and T-Remember the Dinosaur. Ang, Casey, Liz, Kayla, Big Mo, R.C.K.C., and last but not least Corinne-Pin. Kara don't think I forgot you, nasTY. Gus The Bus FOREVER!!!!!! I LOVE JESUS! Thanks for four years of great happiness. -Dustin

To my Blonde Squad (aka Godess222), C.C. you're the sister I never had, M.B. never forget that week in August, C.P what will I do without our endless conversations of laughing & crying , A.T. we'll never give up on our guys!!, M.H. & R.C. we'll still have to have our driveby's .I love you guys and will always cherish our many memories. K.M. we've been together since kindergarten and it's hard to believe this is out last year together.* Our lives have changed so much in the past four years and will continue to in the next 4, but I know the memories we've had together will be remembered for a lifetime* ~ Elizabeth

Wasup to my Blonde Squad ~ thank you for a lifetime of memories and laughter. MB and AT- you two are my faith in true friendship. EF- we've been through so much and overcame it all. CC- you are my most unique sister. Mo, Becca (Dancin' Queen), and Kel- love you girls. Dust- GUS and Jesus Loves You! Ashley- we are the same person, Alisha-I'm always here to take care of you, and Kara- never forget our laughter and fun. Alex, Kevin, and Stevie- I consider you three my brothers and I am always here for you. Steve H- I love you so much forever. Ryan- I miss you. ~ Corinne

To all my girls ~ Casey, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Kelli, Angela, Michaela, Corinne, and Courtney ~ thanks for all the great memories that I will carry with me always. *Blond Squad* yeah girls ~ our laughs have carried me through high school with a smile. Ashley, Lauren, and Liz ~ thanks for the fun times. Dustin, Alex, Stevie ~ best of luck, thanks for the laughs. Steve ~ thanks for listening and always being there. . . I love you all! ~ Maura

To my girls, AKA Blonde Squad (thanks Dust): MEB, CRC, RCKC, ELF, MEH, KAM and CRP – All of our memories could never be replaced ~ May we never stop laughing! ELF, we'll always have our obsessions. MEB and CRP – you are the meaning of TRUE friendship, thanks for everything! JEJ, my second little sister, I've known you forever, thanks for always being there to make me laugh! And "G", my real little sis – I'm going to miss you like crazy! I give my best to you all! Never get the chance to forget how much I love you girls! ~ Angela

To all my girls ~ Casey, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Maura, Beth, T, Andy, Courtney, Corinne, Michaela and Angela- thank you girls so much for all the fun times and all the laughs. I'll never forget the times we shared and the fun we had. Best of luck next year, and may we always stay close. I'll never forget you girls, and you will never stop making me laugh. Thanks for everything! I love you, girls! To my little sis, Jennifer, good luck next year. Enjoy the house to yourself, no more having to share the phone or computer. I'll miss you next year. Love you. ~Kelli

~*Kel-Bel, Shannon, Benna Ben, Luke, Jeremy, Murph, Brian, Bill, & Abbo*~ I'll miss you all so much next year. I know no matter how far apart, you'll always remain in my heart. I love you guys! GOOD TIMES!!!! To my ex- roomy Kel...I'll always treasure our fun times, 80's evenings, sob sessions, mall excursions, and soccer stress. The memories will make me smile forever. Remember that I will always be here for you! Shannon... Breakdown...Freshjive! To all our crazy adventures and excellent times, where somehow we realized that "Round Here" things really are "Good Enough". Thanks for the memories.... Love Always, ~*Ashley*~

To all my friends...You guys have given me the best memories and I will never forget all our fun times. Cheerleaders... I love you guys and I will miss you! Kendra I am so happy for you and Derick we had fun as the foursome... Dave my senior year would have never been the same without you... We laughed, cried and shared some great memories together. Memories I will never forget. I love you and all my friends!
Love, Jessie

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To all my friends ... I'm really gonna miss you guys after we graduate ... we'll still stay close, always ... Vanessa (Cpl. Idiot), Vermont's gonna be awesome ... married for life ... Dacia, what ever will we do without swim? You're the best ... Amy, I missed you in English this year, I love ya girl ... Kristen, keep greasin' those pans!! ... I'm really gonna miss you ... but we'll definitely stay close ... Michelle, my Honey Dew buddy ... don't ever forget me ... I love you guys, we've been through a lot this year, and I'll never forget you! Love Always, Cyndi

To my boys: B.P., T.T., B.O., S.F., K.P., B.F., M.M., J.V., it's been quite a ride. We've definitely had some good times. J.T., B.M., K.F., R.A., enjoy it while it lasts guys. Jen, don't worry, you'll survive, have fun! I'll miss you guys. Kappy, Abba and Halp, thanks for always making me smile. Chianese, you're awesome, thanks for helping me keep my head up. Billy, I'll miss our quality time together, luv ya hun. Patti & Mur, thanks for listening, you helped more than you know. Joshua, what can I say, you know what I'm thinking. Thanks for not giving up on me, love you. Rob, you mean the world to me, don't ever change, love you. Thanks everyone and good luck. I'll never forget you.
~ Love always ~ Chrissy ~

Hey! Just a general note to random people. It's been a rough couple years, but we got through it. Amy, what could I have done without you? People would definitely think I was a lot stranger if you hadn't been around. I know I can trust you with anything. Jen, yeah, so we're cool, right? Of course! Thanks for being there. Patti, all I have to say is you're welcome for corrupting you and RIBBITT! Lylas. Steve, you are such a thug! It's okay though, cause I'm stuck with you, right? You've made me happier than I ever thought I could have been. I love you and no matter what happens, I'll always be here for you. To everyone else, I wish you all luck. I'll miss you. Thanks for the memories ...
Love Ya! *Corey*

To Andy, Beth-Ann, and Ben – We're finally outta this place!! B.V. – go to school! Andy – We'll be going back and forth visiting each other. Ben – It's gonna be harder to share our "thoughts!" Riety – I'll miss joking around with you. (Happy Chanukah!) Man – come visit me at D n'D some time. Murtha – SHAVE!! Rebecca – I'll miss hearing Tollulla beeping through the meadows! Dutch – stay outta trouble, but keep the "nasty" music alive in Gus. To all of you I didn't mention – good luck, stay in touch, and have a blast! ~ Christina ("T")

Throughout my four years at Seekonk there have been so many people that affected my life greatly. To Mr. Mooney, you have taught me so much not only about running but about life. To all of the Young's crew and Boisvert, you have made not only work but life so much fun. To the Cross Country and Track teams, without you guys I don't know where or what I would be. You made running fun, exciting, enjoyable, and turned it into a passion for me, there is nothing I could ever do to repay you. To anyone else I may have forgotten, thanks for the memories. ~ Rob (Welcha)

To all my friends - you have all made a great impact on my life ... thank you. To all of my cheerleaders - I will never forget the times that we had together. You all mean so much to me. Taylor, thank you for always being there for me ... you're my buddy! Kim, Krystal, and Ron-Ron, I will never forget the memories that we shared. You have all shaped my life in a huge way. I love you guys with all my heart and I will never ever forget you. ~Nettie

To all my friends ~ You all mean so much to me. Mandy, Kelley, Teo, Lori, Andy, "T-Liz", Beth(Roni), Ashlee, and Amanda ... I will never forget all the memories we have shared. You have made these four years fun. Thanks for always being there. I will never forget you guys. Good luck in the future and remember to always keep in touch! I love you guys! ~Beth (Reity)

To all my friends: T- Where do you go on the weekends? Stella sounds good! Mr. Gray holds the record!!! Andy- My other half – buddy. Chex Mix!! Channels, Starbucks, picking up our men ... Ben - My Friday night date. Thanks for discovering prosty lane! Schobe- our Saturday night "exclusive parties," spying on the neighbors! Beth-Ann- Reity!! Happy Chanukah! Good luck next year, keep in touch. *Mandy Candy* Dutch- Gus lives on! Keep it real dutchman. Love B.V.

Someone once said, "Hold a true friend with both hands." I have two of those very true friends, Jenelle and Erin. To Jenelle, my almost sister, I will always cherish the closeness we share. To Erin, my good friend, although it has not been long, our friendship means a lot. May our friendships never end, even when we are old, successful, and have long forgotten our high school days. Lv. Sarah

Some words of advice:
1. College is not like high school. Don't take more than two difficult classes. 2. Don't trust anyone. 3. Being self-reliant stinks, don't move out of your parents' house. 4. Computers are evil, use only when necessary. 5. If work is interfering with school, quit and go back to shoveling snow and raking leaves. 6. If you're getting tired, save partying for the weekend. 7. If you don't want to learn, get a job and don't waste your time with college. 8. Being cool is for high school only. Let go, chill out, be yourself. 9. Don't do it all for the money. The only true success comes from working hard at what you love.
10. Without high school you actually have to structure your own life. 11. Life really is very amusing. Don't get frustrated. Just laugh. 12. If you love someone, tell them If you hate someone, tell them. 13. Real music is the product of muscians, not machines. 14. Being good at math doesn't make you intelligent. 15. Laugh.
Good luck everyone. It's been fun. Jes

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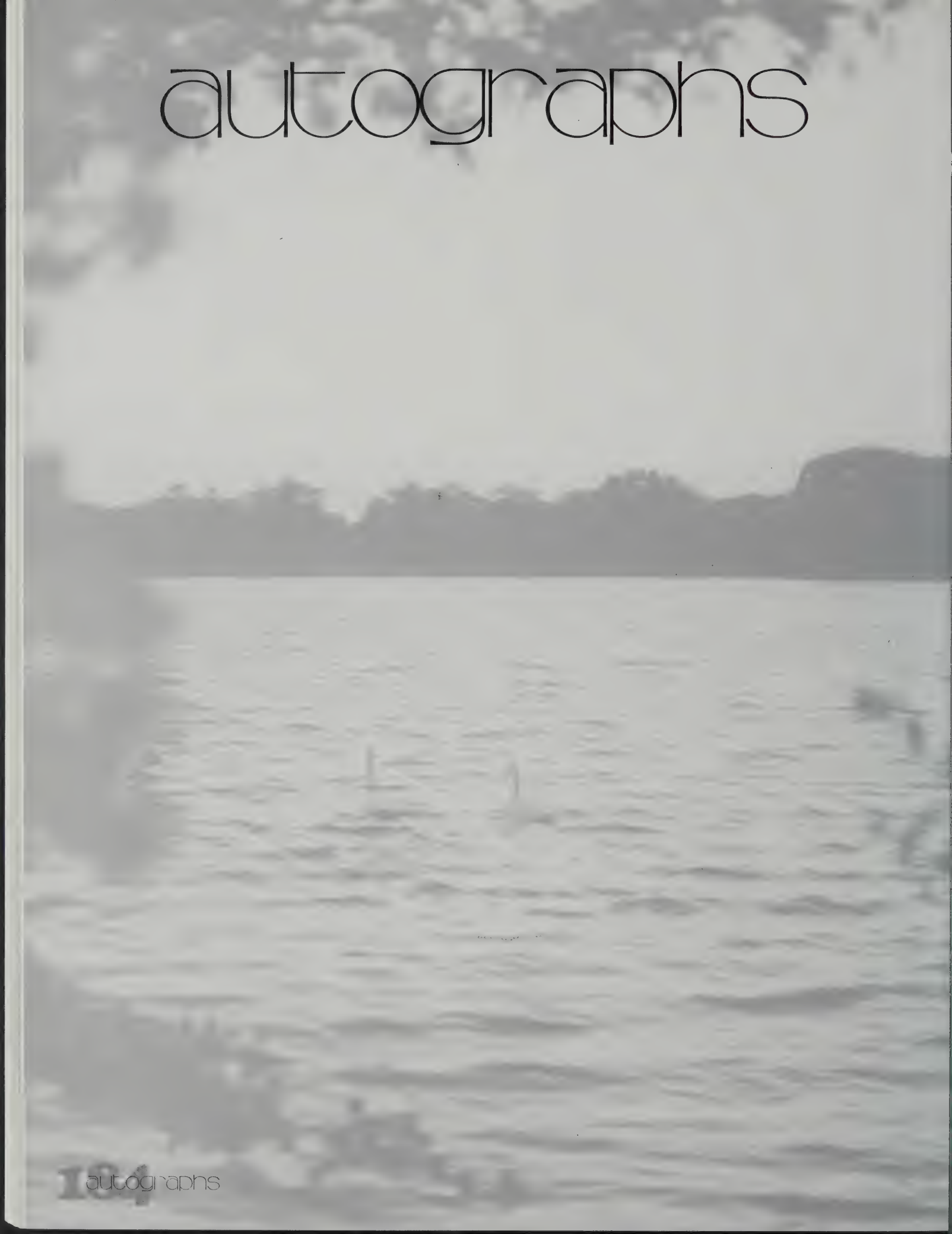

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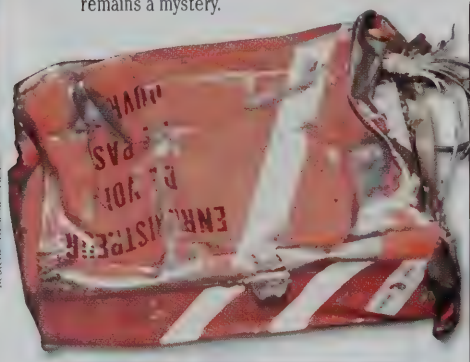
As part of Rome's continuing restoration, the city unveils a plan to create an 18,000-square-yard rambling space connecting the Imperial Forums with the Roman Forum.

EgyptAir Flight 990 crashes into the Atlantic Ocean on October 31, killing all 217 people on board. Although suspicious actions of a pilot are under scrutiny by American and Egyptian officials, the cause of the crash remains a mystery.



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On October 12, the world's official population hits 6 billion. The designated 6 billionth human is a baby boy born in Sarajevo.

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In September, more than 300,000 Japanese are checked for radiation exposure after an inadvertent nuclear reaction at a uranium processing plant.

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Nearly a million ethnic Albanians flee Yugoslavia and thousands are killed after Serbs begin a violent ethnic cleansing campaign in 1998. Seventy-eight days of NATO bombing bring the war to an end in June. An international tribunal later charges Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic with crimes against humanity.

In an October coup, the Pakistani army dismisses elected Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif and his government after Sharif announces the removal of his powerful military chief, General Pervaiz Musharraf.

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In a violent October coup, gunmen storm the Armenian Parliament and assassinate Prime Minister Vazgen Sarkisian and six other top officials.

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Britain's Prince Edward marries longtime girlfriend Sophie Rhys-Jones on June 19.

Cuban Elian Gonzalez, 6, becomes the center of a bitter citizenship debate after surviving a November boat wreck off the Florida coast in which his mother dies.

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In India, two trains collide head-on in August, killing 285 people and injuring more than 300. It is one of the worst train disasters in the country's history.

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In June, Thabo Mbeki succeeds President Nelson Mandela, South Africa's first democratically elected president.

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After almost nine years in power, Russian President Boris Yeltsin announces his resignation in January 2000. Yeltsin names Prime Minister Vladimir Putin acting president pending elections in March.

In September, Russia begins a military campaign against Chechen nationalists to regain control of the breakaway republic. More than 200,000 people flee the region, but a fierce rebel resistance stays to fight for control of the capital, Grozny.

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In September and October, powerful earthquakes strike around the globe, killing 15,000 people in Turkey, 1,450 in Taiwan and at least 122 in Greece.

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Archaeologists excavate 105 mummies in a 2,000-year-old underground Egyptian tomb believed to contain a total of 10,000 mummies. The necropolis will shed new light on the Greco-Roman era and will allow scholars to chart demographic data and the incidence of disease.

Flash

A tropical depression producing heavy rain hits Mexico in November. The resulting floods kill more than 350 people and cause 100,000 to evacuate.

In August, the U.S. pays $4.5 million to victims of NATO's accidental bombing of the Chinese embassy in Belgrade. Three Chinese are killed and 27 are wounded in the May 1999 bombing.

AP/Wide World Photos

On December 31, the U.S. returns control of the Panama Canal to Panama. Opened to the world in 1914, the canal is considered one of the greatest construction achievements in American history.

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AP/Wide World Photos

In December, torrential rains cause Venezuela's worst natural disaster of the century. Mudslides and flash floods kill up to 30,000 people, while damage estimates run into the billions of dollars.

National News

Reuters/Mike Segar/Archive Photos

In July, John F. Kennedy Jr., 38, his wife, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy, 33, and her sister, Lauren Bessette, 34, die in an airplane crash in the Atlantic Ocean near Martha's Vineyard. Kennedy, a relatively inexperienced pilot, is believed to have become disoriented in heavy fog.

Cartoonist Charles M. Schulz retires in January 2000, bringing an end to PEANUTS, America's most popular comic strip for almost 50 years. Schulz dies in February, the night before his last strip runs in the national newspapers.

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As a way to boost tourism, Chicago displays 301 life-size, fiberglass cows decorated by local artists. The public art exhibit lasts all summer until the cows are auctioned for charity.

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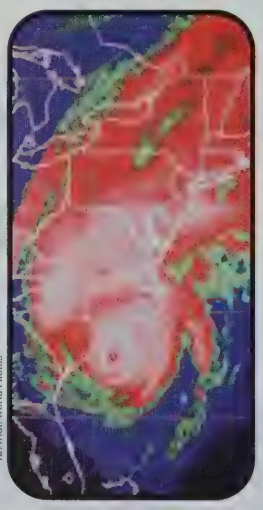
Hurricane Floyd strikes the East Coast in September, killing 51 people and destroying over 4,000 homes. North Carolina is hardest hit with total damages estimated at a record $6 billion.



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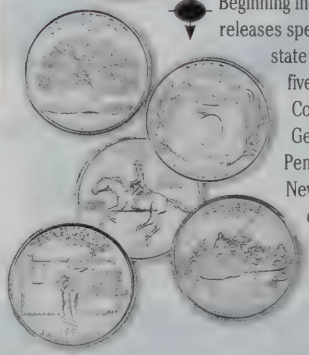
The drought of 1999 causes severe damage to Northeastern and mid-Atlantic farms. Several states impose mandatory water use restrictions and emergency federal loans are made available in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.

Lewis and Clark's Native American guide Sacagawea is featured on a new gold-colored dollar coin released into circulation in early 2000.



Beginning in 1999, the U.S. Mint releases specially designed state quarters, the first five representing Connecticut, Georgia, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. By 2008, each state will have its own quarter.

Flash

In August, a rare tornado strikes downtown Salt Lake City. Winds up to 112 miles per hour make it Utah's second-worst tornado in history.

In July, Air Force Colonel Eileen Collins, 42, becomes the first woman to command a U.S. space shuttle mission.

AP/Wide World Photos

President Clinton announces the removal of the American bald eagle from the endangered species list. In 1999, there are over 5,800 breeding pairs, an increase from 417 in 1963.

Dave McDermand/Bryan-College Station Eagle/Corbis Sygma

In November, a 60-foot log tower collapses at Texas A&M University, killing 12 students and injuring 27. The tower was to be burned at a traditional bonfire pep rally.

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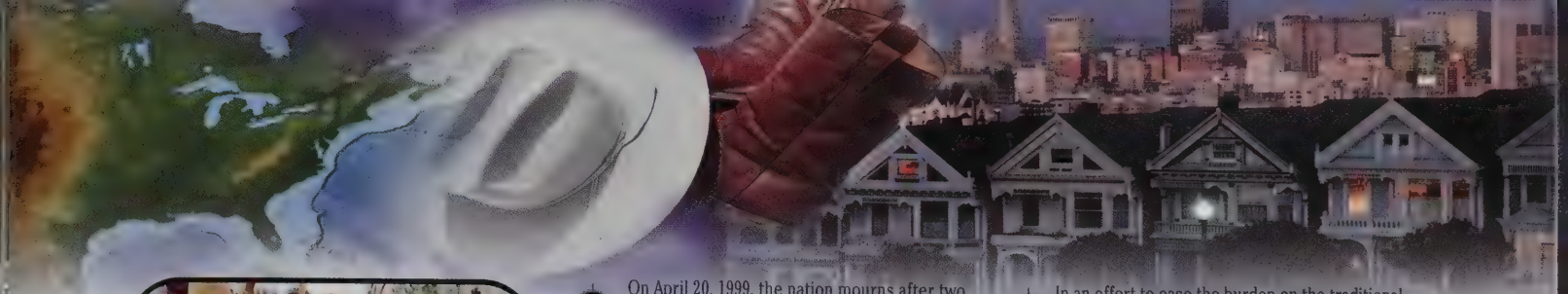

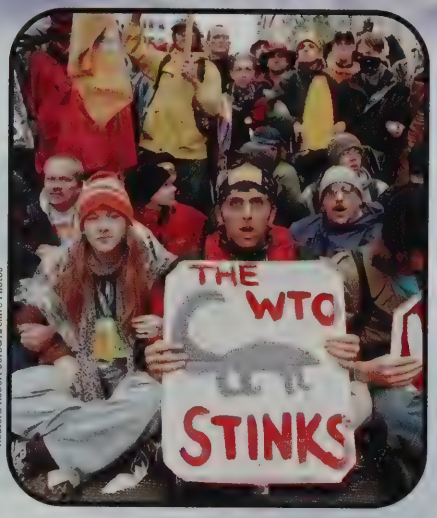

Reuters/Robert Sorbo/Archive Photos

In November, protesters at the World Trade Organization (WTO) summit in Seattle provoke a show of force by local, state and federal officers. Protesters blame the WTO for eroding human rights and labor and environmental standards.

On April 20, 1999, the nation mourns after two students go on a shooting rampage at Columbine High School in Colorado, wounding 23 and killing 15, including themselves. Schools across the country take extensive security measures to ensure the safety of students and staff.

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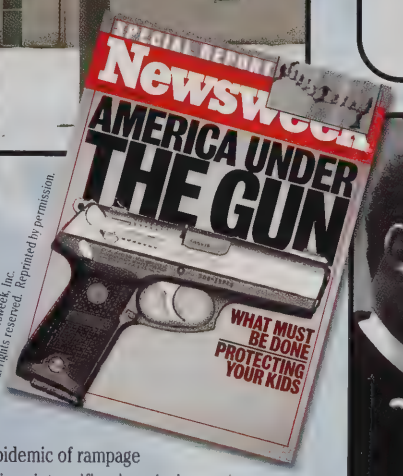

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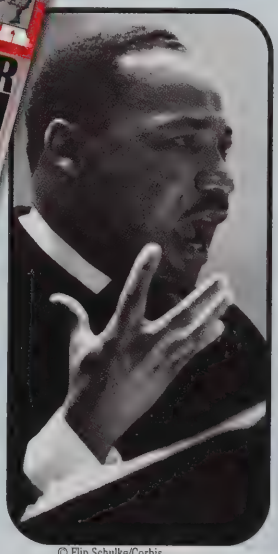
An epidemic of rampage shootings intensifies America's growing concern over gun control. Many state legislatures pass new gun-control measures despite nationwide controversy over restrictions vs. Second Amendment rights.

In an effort to ease the burden on the traditional courts, most states now offer teen court for juvenile offenders. After determining guilt, a jury of teens along with a judge decides the sentence, typically community service and financial restitution.

Timothy C. Sharp



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Despite 30 years of official denial, in December a jury finds the assassination of Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. was the result of a conspiracy, not the act of a lone gunman.

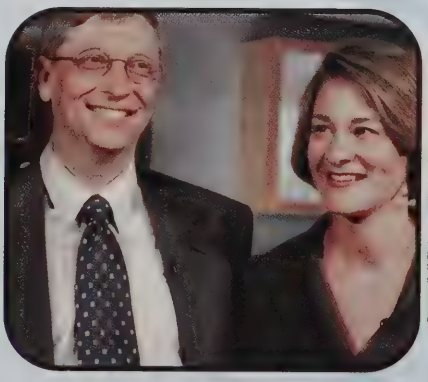
Ron Garrison, San Diego Zoo/Reuters/Archive Photos

In August, a female panda is born at the San Diego Zoo. Hua Mei, which can mean "China USA" or "Splendid Beauty," is the first panda born in the Western Hemisphere in nearly a decade.

Flash

In the first such admission by a cigarette manufacturer, Philip Morris publicly concedes tobacco is addictive and can cause serious diseases.

Hillary Clinton announces her candidacy for a U.S. Senate seat from New York. As law requires, Clinton establishes New York residency in suburban Chappaqua.



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In September, Microsoft Corp. Chairman Bill Gates and his wife Melinda announce the creation of the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. The Gateses will donate $1 billion over the next 20 years to finance scholarships for minority college students.

1-800-4MY-TEEN

A bumper sticker invites drivers to call a toll-free number to report reckless driving. Officials hope the system will help parents stay informed about their teenagers' driving habits.

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Science News

AP/Wide World Photos

In August, NASA releases photos from the Chandra X-ray orbiting telescope of a hot cloud of gas from a star that exploded more than three centuries ago. The telescope took 23 years and $1 billion to develop.

Immersion Corporation

FEELit technology allows users to experience computer technology through their mouse. Users can "feel" buttons, text, the weight of a stuffed desktop folder and the groove of a scroll bar.

Lincoln Journal Star

Fifteen-year-old Amber Ramirez undergoes surgery in which half of her brain is removed to stop the spread of a rare neurological disease. Doctors hope the remaining portion of Ramirez's brain will compensate for the removed tissue.

Courtesy of Dallas Semiconductor

The Java Ring contains a computer chip providing electronic access into buildings for students. Eventually the ring could be used as a library card, digital wallet, electronic ID and authentication for students' online homework.

AP/Wide World Photos

The body of a 23,000-year-old woolly mammoth is discovered in October frozen in the Russian tundra. Study of the preserved fur, organs and soft tissue could unlock the mystery of why the species died out.

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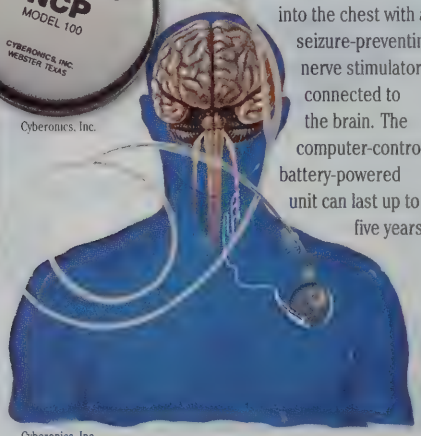

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In an epilepsy treatment breakthrough, surgeons implant a "pacemaker" into the chest with a seizure-preventing nerve stimulator connected to the brain. The computer-controlled, battery-powered unit can last up to five years.

Gulbenkian/SPL/Photo Researchers

In August, U.S. surgeons begin using computer-enhanced robotic technology for heart bypass surgery. Because the chest cavity is never opened, this technique reduces pain and shortens recovery time.

Flash

Researchers announce in July the creation of a cancerous human cell by genetically altering a normal one. This significant breakthrough is an important step toward developing drugs that could potentially wipe out cancer.

In December, IBM announces a $100 million research initiative to build a supercomputer 500 times more powerful than current models.

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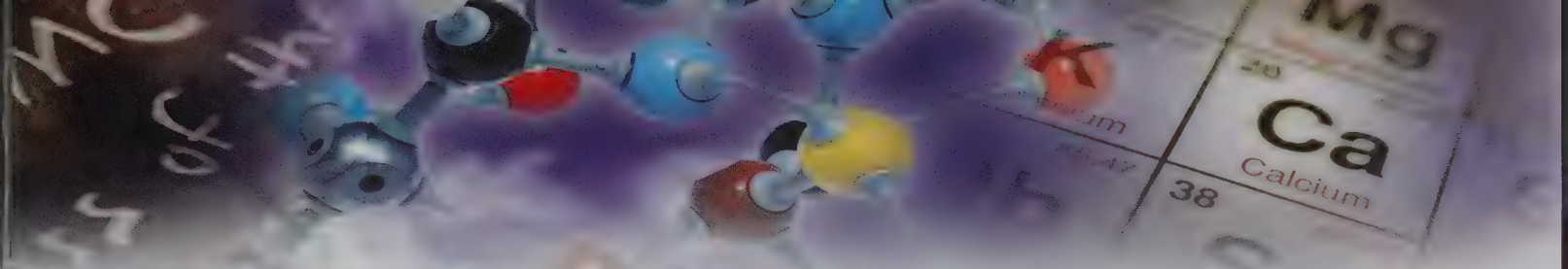
On August 11, the last total solar eclipse of the millennium crosses the globe. Thousands of people from Canada to India experience daytime darkness during which the moon completely covers the sun.



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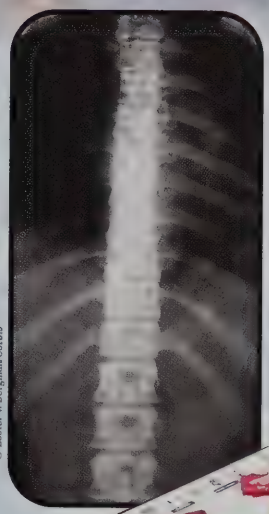
Parents, with help from their doctor, select the gender of their baby using a technique called MicroSort, which separates X-bearing (female-determining) and Y-bearing (male-determining) sperm. The success rate is about 92 percent for females and 69 percent for males.



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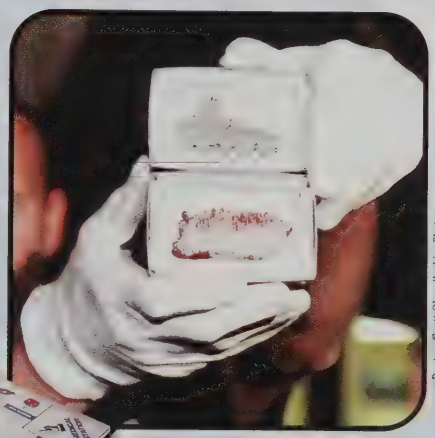
Researchers at Massachusetts General Hospital reveal in July that they have successfully regenerated the central nervous system of lab rats with severed spinal cords. Applications for human paralysis treatment are very encouraging.

The jawbones of two kangaroo-sized dinosaurs are discovered in Madagascar in October. Dated to the early Triassic period, 230 million years ago, the bones could be the oldest dinosaur fossils ever found.



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David N. Berwitz

A new board game, Infection, hits stores in July. Fun and educational, players race around the board catching diseases, described in detail, and trying to be cured.

Boeing Media

In October, Sea Launch Company, a multi-national consortium, launches the first commercial satellite into space from a floating platform in the Pacific Ocean. Boeing is a major partner in the venture, along with companies in Russia, Ukraine and Norway.

Reuters/Mike Guastella/Archive Photos

In October, biologists isolate one of the enzymes that sets Alzheimer's disease in motion. This scientific discovery will lead to new treatments and, possibly, a cure. Over 4 million Americans, including former President Ronald Reagan, are living with the disease.

Reuters/HO/Archive Photos

Researchers report they have successfully altered the learning and memory behavior of mice by inserting a gene into their brains. This genetic-engineering breakthrough may be helpful in treating human learning disorders and Alzheimer's disease.

Flash

In June, scientists announce the creation of two new elements. The nucleus of new, super-heavy element 118 decays into element 116 within a millisecond.

Scientists studying Albert Einstein's preserved brain report it has unique characteristics. The region governing mathematical ability and spatial reasoning is significantly larger than normal.

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To mark the 30th anniversary of the first moon landing, astronaut Neil Armstrong's lunar footprint is featured on a 1999 postage stamp.

Lifestyle News

Maybelline

Cosmetic companies increasingly use entertainment celebrities instead of models for their advertisements. Sarah Michelle Gellar, Jennifer Love Hewitt, Jennifer Lopez and Shania Twain are among the celebs who appear in ads.

The fashion accessory of 1999 goes by many names – power beads, mood beads and prayer beads. Many sellers claim the beads boost tranquility, energy, creativity and intelligence.

Ian Spanier

Airlines begin installing elaborate in-flight entertainment systems that allow passengers to watch movies, play computer games, listen to music, read headlines or browse the Internet.

Eric Sander/Liaison Agency

With the huge increase in cell phones, many cities enact laws restricting their use while driving. Restaurants and theaters are also requiring patrons to turn phones off as a courtesy to others.

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In August, a Levi Strauss & Co. megastore opens in San Francisco. The store features a hot tub where shoppers can soak in their jeans for the perfect fit and a computer-scanning system to help customers get the right size.

A continuation of the cargo pants trend, messenger bags with pockets galore hang at the hips of teens everywhere.

Flash

In December, Honda introduces Insight, a car that combines a conventional gasoline engine with a small electric motor, decreases ozone and carbon dioxide emissions and gets 80 mpg.

Several companies offer "digital wallets" for teens who want to shop online but don't have credit cards. Parents deposit money into an online account; then teens can spend the money at designated Web sites.

AP/Wide World Photos

Apple Computer introduces its new iBook laptop in September. The super-slim, neon-colored units follow the highly successful launch of the translucent iMac desktop.

Courtesy Aromapharmacy

A new line of scented candles called Aromapharmacy comes in amber glass containers and looks like prescription drug bottles with creative names such as Ritalert, Cramprin and Valiumello.

1999

Reuters/Kimimasa Mayama/Archive Photos

Wireless Web access becomes a reality in September when Sprint PCS announces the first nationwide wireless data service. Shortly thereafter, several other providers debut similar service for hand-held Web phones.

Globe Photos Inc/Andrea Renault

Shawls and wraps show up everywhere in the fashion world. Hollywood celebrities like Salma Hayek sport the fashion trend in all colors and fabrics.

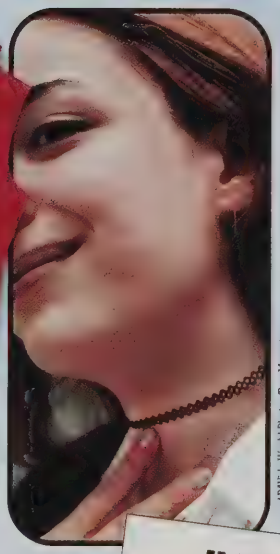
Inline skaters can now power themselves along with the new Roller Cycle Personal Power Accelerator featuring a 1.5-hp-driven wheel. An optional spiked rubber tire for traction makes it also possible to use while cross-country skiing.

Roller Cycle

Kwame Brathwaite/IPOL, Inc.

A Gap TV advertisement for vests starts a trend across America that has teenagers wearing the fashionable sleeveless jackets.

Several rappers start their own clothing lines, making hip-hop wear big business. Popular artist labels include FUBU, Roc-A-Wear, Phat Farm, Wu Wear, Sean John and X-Large.



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Stretchy nylon jewelry that looks like skin tattoos is a big hit in 1999. The nylon bands are worn around necks, wrists, arms and ankles, and come in several colors.

Courtesy Magellan Corporation

Magellan, a satellite navigation system for motorists, offers complete U.S. mapping data, voice and visual instructions in seven languages, turn-by-turn directions and a library of points of interest.

Flash

Teenagers need an average of nine hours and 15 minutes of sleep a night, according to research at Brown University's Bradley Hospital. The study also shows a direct correlation between school grades and duration of sleep.

An influx of dot-com companies advertise on television. Ads during the Super Bowl sell for an average of $2.2 million per 30-second commercial.

California Prune Board

A growing number of U.S. school cafeterias offer pruneburgers, a healthy low-fat combination of hamburger and prune puree. Other prune items in the works include hot dogs, pizza sauce, barbecue sauce and gingerbread cookies.

2000

Entertainment News

Photofest

The Sixth Sense with Bruce Willis and Haley Joel Osment is the No. 1 box office hit for five consecutive weekends in the summer.

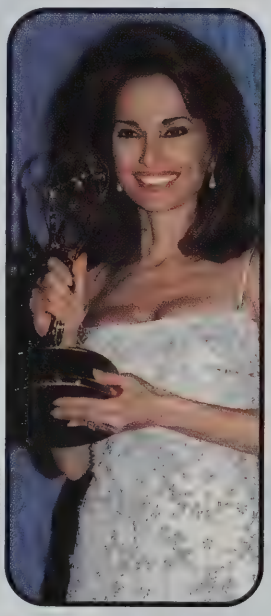
Video game fans snap up a record 15,000 copies of Sega's highly anticipated Dreamcast system in the first 24 hours after its launch in September.

Sega

ABC's summer fill-in quiz show "Who Wants to Be a Millionaire," with host Regis Philbin, returns in November and is a huge hit with viewers. By January 2000, several major networks launch quiz shows of their own.

Marco Melino/ABC

After 19 nominations, Susan Lucci finally wins an Emmy Award for best actress in a daytime drama series for her role as Erica Kane on the ABC soap opera "All My Children."



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Photofest

The Blair Witch Project, the year's surprise movie hit, is the documentary-style footage of three students lost in the Maryland woods and threatened by the presumed Blair Witch. The film costs $100,000 to make and grosses $140 million.

Launched in January 1999, MTV's "The Tom Green Show" becomes one of the season's most popular shows. The Canadian host's bizarre man-on-the-street pranks are the show's main attraction.

Andrew Brassó/Corbis outline

Flash

Tom Hanks and Tim Allen return as the voices of Woody and Buzz Lightyear in the animated feature Toy Story 2. The sequel breaks box-office records during its Thanksgiving release and wins a Golden Globe award.

In a botched stunt, WWF wrestler Owen Hart falls from the rafters at Kemper Arena and dies in front of 16,300 fans.

Photofest

Jennifer Love Hewitt leaves "Party of Five" to star in her own Fox television drama, "Time of Your Life." The show focuses on Hewitt's character trying to make it in New York while searching for her biological father.

Photofest

In June, Mike Myers' sequel *Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me* proves to be a bigger hit than the 1997 original. Dr. Evil's alter ego Mini-Me is extremely popular even though he has no lines.

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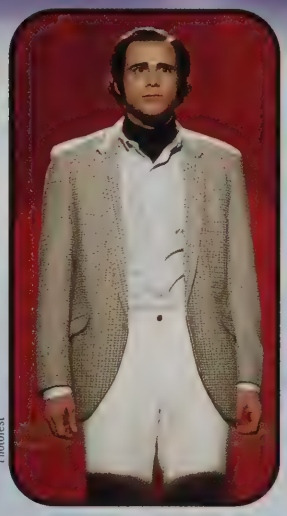
Konami Corporation of America, Inc.

The new arcade game Guitar Freaks features two guitar controllers and a screen to help players follow along to popular songs.



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In December, actor Jim Carrey portrays zany comedian Andy Kaufman in *Man on the Moon*. Carrey wins a Golden Globe award for his performance.

American Beauty, starring Kevin Spacey, Annette Bening and Thora Birch, captures the Golden Globe Best Drama Award. The dark satire of suburbia and family dysfunction receives a total of six Golden Globe nominations.

Photofest

Dreamworks Television

Set in 1980, the critically acclaimed NBC show "Freaks and Geeks" follows two groups of teens trying to make their way through high school.

Photofest

The long-awaited prequel *Star Wars*: Episode I *The Phantom Menace* hits theaters in May 1999, taking in a record-breaking $28.5 million on its opening day and going on to gross more than $420 million.

Six Flags Great Adventure

Medusa, the world's first floorless roller coaster, opens in August at Six Flags Great Adventure in New Jersey. The 4,000-foot, toe-dangling ride has enough drops, loops, rolls and corkscrews to thrill every rider.

Flash

Michael J. Fox announces in January 2000 he will leave the popular ABC sitcom "Spin City" at the end of the season to promote awareness of Parkinson's disease in hopes of finding a cure.

After 10 seasons, Fox cancels the hit show "Beverly Hills, 90210." The show followed characters through high school, college and careers.

AP/Wide World Photos

In September, the New Roc City entertainment center opens in New York. The complex includes an amusement park ride on the roof, two skating rinks, 19 movie screens, restaurants, an arcade, a health club, a supermarket and a hotel.

The Everett Collection

The Talented Mr. Ripley, starring Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow, Jude Law and Cate Blanchett, opens in December and earns popular and critical praise.

2000

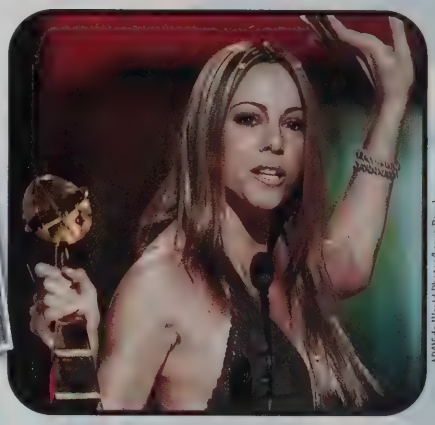
Music News

Reuters/Hiroje Polan/Archive Photos

Released in June, Santana's *Supernatural* shoots up the *Billboard* album chart, sells over 6 million copies, and earns 10 Grammy nominations.

U.S. sales of music by Latin artists shoot up 48 percent in the first quarter of 1999 thanks to artists such as Ricky Martin, Jennifer Lopez, Enrique Iglesias and Marc Anthony.

Superstar Mariah Carey releases *Rainbow* in November and begins a world tour in February 2000. Carey is named *Billboard* Music Awards Artist of the Decade and is awarded the distinguished American Music Award of Achievement.



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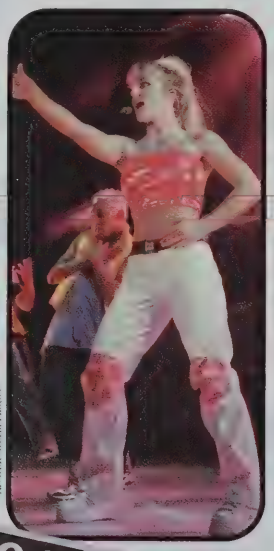
Britney Spears' album ...*Baby One More Time* is the second-best-selling album of 1999, earning Spears the *Billboard* Music Awards Female and New Artist of the Year Awards.



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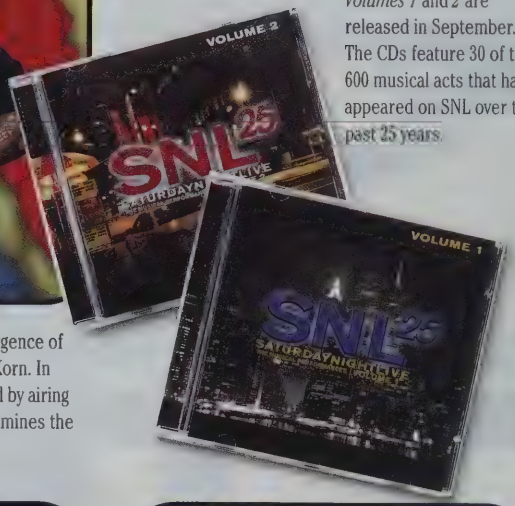
Limp Bizkit leads the way in the resurgence of rock music, along with Kid Rock and Korn. In September, MTV showcases the trend by airing "1999: Return of the Rock," which examines the history and future of rock music.

Saturday Night Live: The Musical Performances Volumes 1 and *2* are released in September. The CDs feature 30 of the 600 musical acts that have appeared on SNL over the past 25 years.



Computer games feature big music stars on their soundtracks. Sheryl Crow contributes her talent to the *Tomorrow Never Dies* soundtrack, Metallica to *Hot Wheels Turbo Racing* and Naughty by Nature to *NBA Live 2000*.

Flash

Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and the Dixie Chicks are a few musicians who rock Central Park in a first-ever trimulcast concert seen and heard on the radio, television and Internet.

More than 1 million viewers tune in each weekday to vote on their favorite videos on MTV's "Total Request Live" with host Carson Daly and popular musical guests.

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Backstreet Boys' *Millennium* wins the *Billboard* Music Awards Album of the Year and becomes the best-selling album of the year with over 10 million copies sold.

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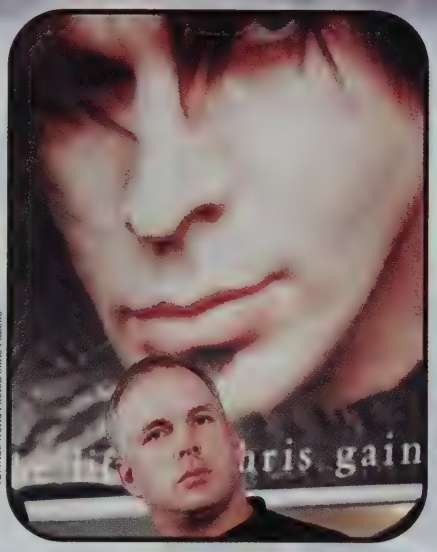

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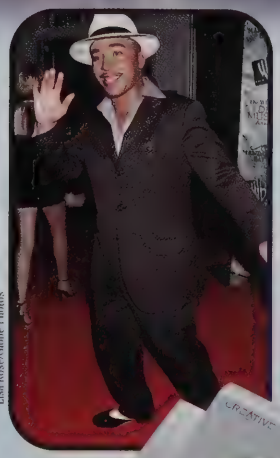
In a strange twist, Garth Brooks releases the album *The Life of Chris Gaines* in which he pretends to be a fictional rock star. Gaines will be the main character in a movie called *The Lamb*, currently in development.



Luis Rosa/Globe Photos

Lou Bega's rhythmic "Mambo No. 5" hits the Top 40 in August after selling 2 million copies overseas and topping the chart in 15 countries.

"NetAid," a concert dedicated to relieve hunger and poverty, airs live in October on MTV, VH1, the BBC, as well as radio stations in 120 nations, making it the widest-heard musical performance in history.

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MP3, technology that compresses sound into a very small file, becomes a popular alternative to the CD. MP3 files are downloaded from the Internet onto computers or portable player units, making it possible to take a personal music selection anywhere.

AP/Wide World Photos

Shania Twain becomes the first woman since 1986 to win the Country Music Association's Entertainer of the Year Award at the 33rd annual awards show.

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VH1's "Concert of the Century" spotlights the importance of music education in schools. The all-star show includes Lenny Kravitz, Sheryl Crow, Eric Clapton and B.B. King, as well as high-profile actors.

Fiona Apple releases her long-awaited second album to rave reviews in November and begins a tour in February 2000. The album features a 90-word title, which is commonly shortened to *When the Pawn*.

Flash

After a successful New Year's Eve reunion performance, the Judds begin their first tour in almost 10 years in February 2000. Since they disbanded in 1991, Naomi has recovered from Hepatitis C.

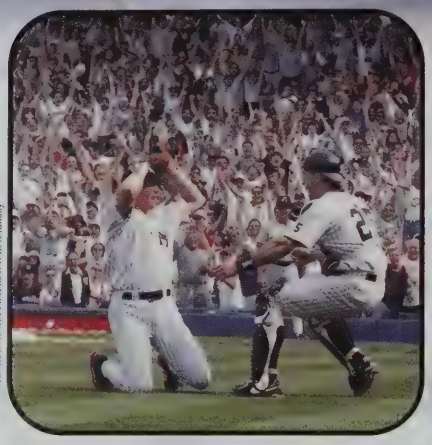
Best New Artist Grammy nominee Christina Aguilera gives an exciting performance during the Super Bowl XXXIV halftime show.

2000

AP/Wide World Photos

Ricky Martin takes the music industry by storm after his show-stopping performance at the 1999 Grammy Awards show. Martin's first chart-topping single, "Livin' la Vida Loca," helps him win the *Billboard* Music Award for Male Artist of the Year.

Sports News



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David Cone of the New York Yankees pitches a perfect game against the Montreal Expos in July. Cone's feat is the 14th perfect game in modern baseball history.

Lance Armstrong wins the 1999 Tour de France in July. Armstrong, who survived a three-year battle with testicular cancer, becomes the second American to win the event.

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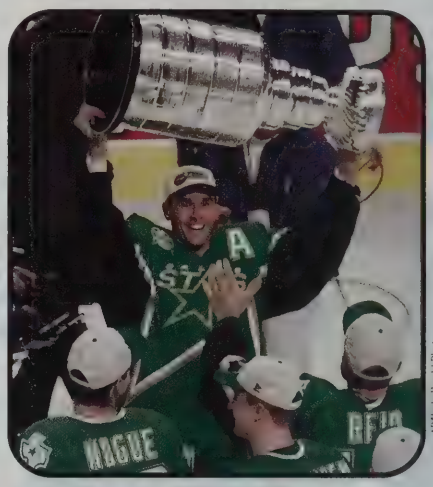
The Dallas Stars beat the Buffalo Sabres 2-1 in triple overtime to win the 1999 Stanley Cup championship, four games to two.



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Golf champion Payne Stewart is killed in a bizarre airplane accident in October. After the airplane's takeoff from Florida, an apparent loss of cabin pressure incapacitates everyone aboard. The aircraft flies on autopilot for four hours until it runs out of fuel and crashes in South Dakota.

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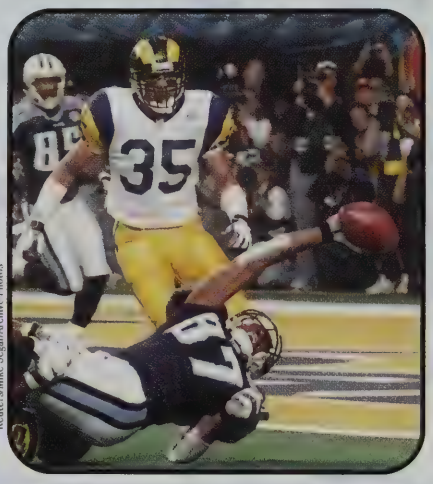

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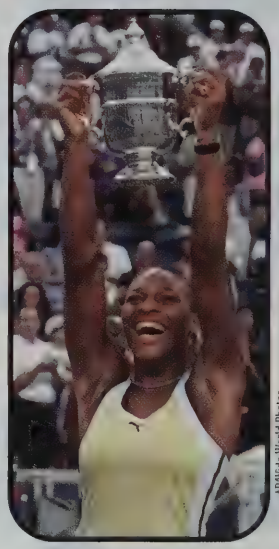
The St. Louis Rams stop the Tennessee Titans at the 1-yard line on a final play to save their 23-16 Super Bowl XXXIV victory.



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In September, tennis phenom Serena Williams, 17, overpowers Martina Hingis to win the 1999 U.S. Open title.

Flash

Both Detroit Lions running back Barry Sanders and German tennis star Steffi Graf announce their retirement in 1999.

On February 7, 2000, Tiger Woods wins his sixth consecutive PGA Tour event, tying Ben Hogan's 1948 winning record.

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The Houston Comets earn their third straight WNBA championship in September, beating the New York Liberty 59-47 to win in three straight games.

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Dale Jarrett wins the 1999 NASCAR Winston Cup championship after a four-victory season.

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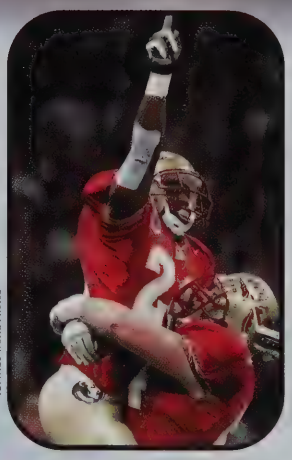
In July, the U.S. women's soccer team wins the 1999 World Cup by beating China 5-4 in penalty kicks following a 0-0 tie. More than 90,000 fans attend at the Rose Bowl and another 40 million watch on television.



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In the January 2000 Sugar Bowl, No. 1 Florida State beats No. 2 Virginia Tech 46-29 to capture the National Championship.

Travis Pastrana, 15, wins the gold medal in the X Games' inaugural Moto X freestyle motocross event. The fifth year of this ESPN-sponsored competition is held in San Francisco in June and July.

Andre Agassi wins the French Open in June and becomes the fifth man ever to complete a career Grand Slam. Agassi goes on to win the U.S. Open in September.

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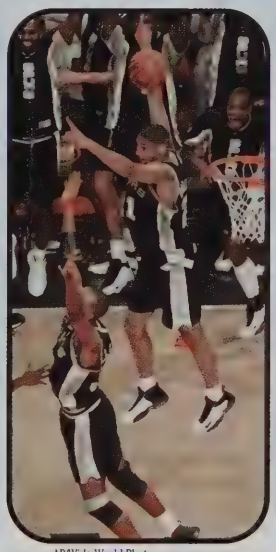
The New York Yankees win the 1999 World Series in a four-game sweep against the Atlanta Braves.



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In June, the San Antonio Spurs win their first NBA championship by defeating the New York Knicks four games to one.

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The U.S. team beats the European team to win golf's Ryder Cup at Brookline, Massachusetts, in September. The American's stirring comeback is marred by unruly galleries and a premature victory celebration.

Flash

In July, many major league baseball umpires announce their resignation as a labor protest. The strategy backfires when owners accept the resignations and in September, 22 umpires lose their jobs.

In January 2000, Michael Jordan returns to pro basketball as part owner and President for Basketball Operations of the NBA's Washington Wizards.

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Twenty-year professional hockey veteran Wayne Gretzky announces his retirement in April 1999 after setting or tying 61 records. Two months later, "The Great One" is inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame.

Millennium

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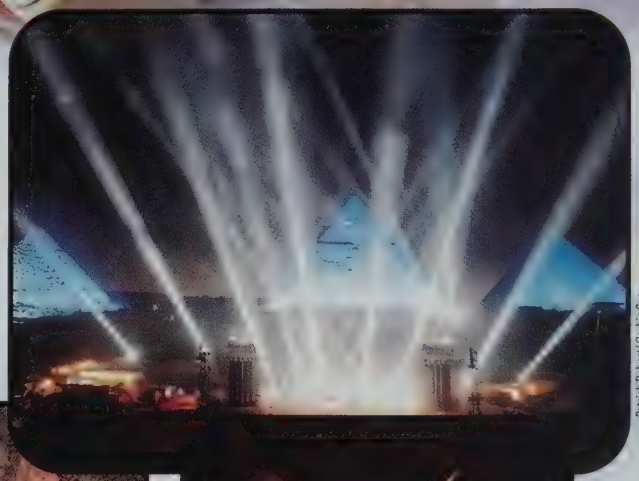
Clock Tower
Ottawa, Canada

Pyramids
Cairo, Egypt



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Times Square
New York City,
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As time zones welcome the new millennium on January 1, the world celebrates with grandeur, pageantry and spectacular fireworks. President Clinton gives a hopeful speech in the minutes before midnight at the Washington Monument, and 2 million people gather in Times Square to watch the specially built 1,000-pound Waterford crystal ball drop at midnight.

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The Eiffel Tower
Paris, France

Space Needle
Seattle, Washington

Flash

The public and private sectors spend hundreds of millions of dollars to ward off the Y2K bug. The world lets out a sigh of relief after midnight strikes and no major computer malfunctions occur.

The FBI warns of possible terrorist acts on New Year's Eve and stays on national alert throughout the celebration. After the arrest of one man with bomb-making materials, Seattle decides to cancel its Space Needle celebration.

Steve Liss/Corbis Sygma

Fearing the collapse of the world's banks, utilities and transportation systems, thousands of people stock up on food, water, money, ammunition and generators. After midnight, it soon becomes apparent that the preparations were unnecessary.

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A surprising number of people, appalled by the exorbitant costs of travel and events, decide to stay home on New Year's Eve. Many companies and performers drastically slash prices as a last-minute lure.

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